

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong  
easterly and southerly winds, unsettled  
and mild, with rain.  
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds, fresh  
to strong on the Gulf, unsettled and mild,  
with rain.

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**NO MEETINGS TO-NIGHT**  
All engagements are cancelled owing to  
prohibitory Order-in-Council against  
public assemblies.

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## ENEMY'S DEFENCE IN FRANCE IS TOTTERING

### German Front From Rheims Northward Seems to Be in Process of Collapse

#### ONE RUMOR STATES WILHELM HAS ABDICATED AND ANOTHER STATES LUDENDORFF NOT DIRECTING ARMY

**Report About Kaiser Comes Via Stockholm; Wash-  
ington Receives Report From a Neutral Country  
Ludendorff Is Physical Wreck Now**

Stockholm, Oct. 10.—There is a persistent rumor here that Kaiser Wilhelm has abdicated.

Washington, Oct. 10.—From one of the European neutral countries to-day a report reached the State Department that General Ludendorff has suffered a physical collapse and relinquished command of the German army.

Toronto, Oct. 10.—A special dispatch to The Toronto Mail and Empire from London says:

"Rumors of the intention of the German Kaiser to abdicate are current throughout the Rhine region and in places as widely distant as Berlin and Baden-Baden, according to a dispatch to The Daily Mail from The Hague."

The dispatch says it is observable that the idea of the Crown Prince taking the throne is nowhere entertained. In some quarters suggestions are heard that Prince August Wilhelm might be designated for the succession.

Information to the effect that the Kaiser is seriously ill with neurasthenia in his palace at Potsdam has reached Paris from authentic sources in Switzerland. The same report says that Ludendorff is virtually emperor, and that the Government, while pretending to be very democratic, is under the complete domination of the militarists. The military party was never so powerful in Germany as now, the report says. Even the highest political leaders can not obtain passports for neutral countries without the personal visa of General Ludendorff.

#### SERBS PUSHING TO NORTH IN SERBIA

**Moving Toward Nish; French  
Forces Advancing Toward  
Montenegrin Border**

London, Oct. 10.—Serbian troops pursuing the defeated Austrian Ninth Division on Monday took Leskovatz, twenty-two miles south of Nish, and Vlasovitz, according to a Serbian official statement issued here to-day. The Serbians took several hundred prisoners and captured a large quantity of material.

French troops operating in Serbia are pushing towards the Montenegrin frontier, according to the Central News Agency.

The Serbian army has reached a line between fifteen and eighteen miles south of Nish.

#### TURKISH COLLAPSE NOW IS EXPECTED

**Opinion at Washington is Un-  
conditional Surrender  
Will Be Made**

Washington, Oct. 10.—The non-appearance of the Turkish peace note reported to have been sent to the United States simultaneously with that of Germany and Austria, and the report from London and Paris of impending and far-reaching events in Constantinople have strengthened the view here that the situation in Turkey is desperate.

It is believed by officials in touch with Turkish affairs that the pro-German Government faces utter collapse, if indeed that has not already taken place and that the new Government will make a direct appeal to the Allies for peace at any price.

The State Department has heard unofficially that representatives of the various factions in Turkey already have appealed to officials of the Allied Governments at Salonica, promising to accept unconditional terms.

#### People of Vienna Feverishly Awaiting U.S. President's Reply

Paris, Oct. 10.—Feverish impatience is shown by the people of Vienna while waiting for President Wilson's reply to the peace proposals of the Central Powers, according to a dispatch from Zurich.

#### QUARTER OF MILLION TEUTONS IN RETREAT BEFORE ALLIES EAST OF THE CAMBRAI-ST. QUENTIN AREA

#### ENTENTE VICTORY GROWS



The latest news from the front is that British cavalry are in the outskirts of Le Cateau, southeast of Cambrai. The map shows the approximate present location of the line from north of Dixmude to north of Rheims.

#### SPLIT BETWEEN AUSTRIA AND HUNGARY APPEARS TO BE RAPIDLY APPROACHING

London, Oct. 10.—A movement favoring a proclamation separating Austria and Hungary is making extremely rapid progress among the public in the Dual Monarchy, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Zurich.

London, Oct. 10.—It is reported from Vienna that the Austro-Hungarian Ministerial Council has decided to introduce national autonomy, "in order to make President Wilson's stipulation an accomplished fact," says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen to-day. The Czech party did not take part in the deliberations, the dispatch adds. It is holding an important meeting to-day.

Count Theodor Batthyany, formerly a member of the Hungarian Cabinet, speaking at Budapest, emphasized the urgency of bringing about a separation between Hungary and Austria.

Czech newspapers declare that preparations are under way for the regular working of a future Czech state and identical statements are being published regarding the Jugo-Slavs.

Telegrams from Warsaw announce that a proclamation is about to be issued for the union of all Polish territory into a Polish state.

The Congress of German Associations in Austria, advised received here, have resolved to favor the creation of a German state in Austria.

#### TEUTONS LEARN THEIR PLANS FOR DOBRUDJA WILL NOT SURVIVE

Amsterdam, Oct. 10.—Roumania is said to have expressed a wish to initiate negotiations "for a new solution of the Dobrudja question," according to The Vienna Neue Freie Presse, as quoted by The Cologne Gazette.

#### Entente Forces Vigorously Pressing Advantage; Brit- ish Cavalry Reported to Have Reached Outskirts of Le Cateau, Southeast of Cambrai

London, Oct. 10.—British cavalry to-day reached the outskirts of Le Cateau, the railway junction southeast of Cambrai, which is the immediate British objective, the Exchange Telegraph says it learns.

London, Oct. 10.—Vigorously pressing the advantage gained by the breaking of the German line between Cambrai and St. Quentin, the British, French and American armies have widened the great wedge in that area to such an extent that the entire German front from Rheims northward seems to be collapsing.

The disintegration of the enemy line is being hastened by the vigorous strokes delivered by the French along the Aisne, while farther east the German left flank in the active battle area is being hammered hard by other French forces and the American First Army, in the Champagne, Argonne and Verdun regions.

With the Anglo-American Forces Southeast of Cambrai, Oct. 10. (Morning).—The British and American forces continue to advance rapidly and are driving the demoralized Germans before them, according to all available reports on this front.

The whole battle is on a field that was aflame throughout the night. The many fires have completely destroyed towns and farm-houses.

Full Retreat.  
Paris, Oct. 10.—A quarter of a million German troops are now in full retreat east of the Cambrai-St. Quentin line, with the Allied forces hot on their heels, according to the latest front reports. At some points the advance exceeded fifteen miles on Tuesday and Wednesday. This forward movement of the Allies is regarded as the first step in the general retreat of the Germans which seems inevitable, for it is doubtful whether the German line has such fortified positions on the upper Oise and the Sambre Canal as to permit them effectively to resist the exploitation of the victory of Tuesday and Wednesday on the Allied side.

American Thrust.  
With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 10.—(Noon).—General Pershing's infantry to-day again went into action on the left wing of the Argonne front after a violent artillery bombardment lasting all night.

The Germans are throwing in reserves on their left flank, which now has been exposed in the Argonne pocket. The enemy also is endeavoring to withdraw his troops at other points so as to restore the line.

Report From Haig.  
London, Oct. 10.—Further progress was made by the British last night toward the northern part of the present battlefront, to the east of Cambrai, on both sides of Caudry, Field Marshal Haig reports to-day. British troops last night got within two miles of Le Cateau.

Saulaumes and Noyelles, in the Lens District, were taken by British troops. The text of the statement reads: "We continued to advance yesterday and last evening in the face of increasing resistance and early in the night advanced detachments established themselves across the Cambrai-Le Cateau road within two miles of Le Cateau. Fighting is taking place south of the main road on both sides of Caudry, and also east of Cambrai, where we have made progress."

Near Lens.  
"In the sector between the Scarpe and Lens our patrols are in touch with the enemy west of the general line of Vitry-en-Artois, Axel-Equeurhin and Rouvroy. We have gained possession of Saulaumes and Noyelles." (Saulaumes is southeast of Lens.)

French Report.  
Paris, Oct. 10.—French troops last night continued the pursuit of the Germans in the region east of St. Quentin. The War Office announced this afternoon. They passed Fontaine-Notre-Dame and Beaulieu. Advancing east of the St. Quentin-Le Cateau railroad, French troops captured the Elaves Wood and Bocoqueux village and further south took Marcy and reached Ponsomme.

In fighting north of the Aisne the French pressure resulted in wresting the Plateau de Croix sans Tete from the Germans, while farther east a crossing of the Aisne Canal was effected in the region of Villers-en-Prayeres.

Liry Taken.  
Attacking vigorously in the Champagne, French troops captured Liry, two miles west of Monthois. The report says: "During the night the pursuit of the enemy continued to the east of St. Quentin. French troops occupying the Bois Landrincourt and passing beyond Beaulieu and Fontaine-Notre-Dame, crossed the Aisne Canal farther east in the region of Villers-en-Prayeres."

"In the Champagne an attack vigorously carried out enabled us to capture Liry and make prisoners."

London, Oct. 10.—Southeast of Cambrai Field-Marshal Haig has swung the main direction of his drive northward and by last night his troops had pushed to within two miles of Le Cateau. The taking of Le Cateau, which is the last of the last of the lateral-railway lines connecting the German northern front with the great salient of Laon, and apparently will make inevitable the evacuation of the entire Laon area.

Before Le Cateau the British are on a line fully ten miles in advance of the longitudinal line running between Cambrai and St. Quentin, having swept through the great part of this area in great strides, driving before them a disorganized enemy. The resistance of the Germans was reported to be stiffening during the night, however, indicating that a stand might be made in an effort to save the railway junction as long as possible from capture.

Fires Observed.  
With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 10.—Fires have been seen burning on the east bank of the Meuse toward Haraumont, north-east of Villermeux-sur-Meuse. West of the river conflagrations have been reported in the towns of Ancreville, Dun and Bantheville.

Towards Guise.  
London, Oct. 10.—French forces are pushing toward the Oise in the direction of Guise. They have made progress to the east and southeast of St. Quentin, where they are closely approaching the river. Their columns have passed Notre Dame, nearly six miles directly east of St. Quentin. This push is having a marked effect in closing the Laon pocket.

Pershing's Forces.  
The army of General Pershing is not to be outdone by the other Allied forces in the delivery of hard blows upon the trembling German system. The thrust east of the Verdun area is being followed up by further attacks which have resulted in the advance of the line here well up toward that won by the offensive west of the river.

In the Argonne, where a junction has been effected with the French at Lancon, new attacks were launched this morning. All the recent gains of General Pershing's men have been held, notwithstanding the throwing in of German reserves. Not the least interesting development of the American campaign is the work of the air forces, which evidently have been assembled in such numbers that an American bombing expedition which dropped more than thirty tons of bombs on German areas on Wednesday comprised no fewer than 250 machines.

Gains Held.  
With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 10.—Noon.—The American artillery on the right wing (Concluded on page 4.)

#### BEATTY BECOMES PRESIDENT OF C. P. R.

**Shaughnessy Resigns but Re-  
mains Chairman of Board  
of Directors**

Montreal, Oct. 10.—Lord Shaughnessy has resigned as president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and is succeeded in that office by E. W. Beatty, K. C., vice-president. Lord Shaughnessy will retain the position of chairman of the board of directors.

Sir George Bury retires from his office of vice-president owing to ill-health, and is succeeded by Grant Hall, who has been vice-president in charge of the Western lines.

E. W. Beatty, K. C., the new president of the C. P. R., is a son of the late Henry Beatty, one of the best known steamship men in Canada.

He was born in 1877 and graduated from the University of Toronto and studied law with the firm of McCarthy, Osler, Hoskin & Creelman, being called to the bar in 1901.

He went to the C. P. R. as assistant to A. R. Creelman, then general counsel, the year he graduated, and succeeded Mr. Creelman as general counsel in 1913. He became a vice-president of the system in 1915.

A Montreal dispatch to The Times this afternoon says: Lord Shaughnessy remains chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. E. W. Beatty is the new president. At a meeting of the directors held in Montreal to-day, Lord Shaughnessy, after twenty years of office, retired from the presidency of the company, although still retaining the position of chairman of the board. Thus, while relieved of executive duties he will continue to serve with his counsel and experience.

This change is due to Lord Shaughnessy's conviction that in view of the extensive programme planned by the Canadian Pacific for the period of reconstruction after the war, the best interests of the company would be served if a younger man were to assume the active direction of so large and complex a system. Although several years older than his predecessors were at the time they retired from the presidency, he decided, when the war broke out, to carry on until the financial horizon should lighten. Now, however, he feels less hesitation in handing over the executive responsibility to a successor, especially to one who has such an intimate knowledge of the affairs of the company as Mr. Beatty, who has shown notable administrative ability, and who enjoys to a marked degree the confidence of not only the political and business leaders of Canada, but also of the employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway itself.

E. W. Beatty, the new president, has been vice-president and general counsel, and also a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for several years.

Sir George Bury is retiring on account of ill-health from the position of vice-president, and Mr. Grant Hall, who has been vice-president in charge of western lines, has been appointed in his place.

#### Minister Doubts Report.

When interviewed this afternoon on the subject of the resignation of Lord Shaughnessy and Sir George Bury, Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals, expressed the utmost astonishment at the news, which he could not bring himself to believe. "I am unable to make any comment on the report at present," he said to a Times representative, who told him the report, "because I was so far unaware that anything of the sort had occurred."

#### Bruges People Rise in Revolt Against German Deportations

Amsterdam, Oct. 10.—A revolt broke out in Bruges, Belgium, the populace rising against the attempts of the Germans to deport the civilians, according to Les Nouvelles. German troops used their guns and killed or wounded numerous Belgians.

Throughout Flanders, the newspaper says, the roads are encumbered with cattle, horses and pigs which are being transported to Germany.

#### TACOMA SCHOOLS CLOSED.

Tacoma, Oct. 10.—The Tacoma schools were closed to-day and will remain closed until danger of a Spanish influenza epidemic is passed. The order includes five private schools.

#### MINISTER FAVORS PRIVATE CONTROL

**Hon. F. B. Carvell and Govern-  
ment Ownership of New  
Esquimalt Drydock**



HON. F. B. CARVELL

"There is no need for me to hesitate in saying that I am not enamored by the principle of public ownership of public utilities, for it is difficult to discover hardly a single case where it has been a success." Leaving no doubt in the mind of The Times representative, the Hon. F. B. Carvell, Federal Minister of Public Works, who arrived in the city this morning, declared himself as not very likely to recommend to his colleagues in the Cabinet the construction of a new dry-dock at Esquimalt as a Government undertaking.

Emphasizing his remark above quoted and in particular connection with the subject that will be placed before him by the various public bodies to-day, Mr. Carvell pointed to the Government dry-dock at Lewis, characterizing it more in the nature of a tragedy than a profitable business venture.

#### Must Be Warranted.

Apart from the fact that the Dominion Government will not spend money at the present time unless it can be shown that the outlay is absolutely warranted, the Minister declares that it would be folly to construct a work of the character described unless the Government were in a position to establish an independent industry.

That is to say, the construction of a first class dry-dock at Esquimalt would carry with it an obligation on the part of the Government to maintain a crew of anywhere from fifty to seventy men continuously, who would be idle—from the practical business point of view—for the major part of the time. Did the Government find itself in a position to enter into the business of shipbuilding on a scale that would be commensurate with the companion undertaking, the question would require different consideration, he suggested.

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### TWO U. S. OFFICERS PERISHED IN FIRE

Rahway, N. J., Oct. 10.—Two officers are reported killed and several were injured in a fire which destroyed the

officers' quarters at Base Hospital No. 3 early to-day at Colonia, three miles from here.

The fire was confined to the officers' quarters, and did not spread to the main hospital building. Among the injured were Lieut. Fraser, and Lieut. Schmanski, both being badly burned.

## GREAT VICTORY WON BY ALLIED FORCES

London and Paris Last Night Reported Continued Forward Sweep

London, Oct. 10.—Field-Marshal Haig reported last night:

"We inflicted a heavy defeat on the enemy yesterday between St. Quentin and Cambrai, taking over 10,000 prisoners and 200 guns. No fewer than twenty-three German divisions were engaged on this front, and they were severely handled."

"The result of this action is that our troops have been enabled to advance to-day on the whole front between the Somme and the Sene, and are making rapid progress eastward, capturing rearguard detachments of the enemy, isolated batteries and machine gun posts. Numbers of the inhabitants who were left in the captured villages have met the advancing troops with enthusiasm."

"The whole of Cambrai is in our hands. Canadian troops entered the town from the north at an early hour this morning, while at a later hour English troops of the Third Army passed through the southern portion of the town."

"Since August 21 the British First, Third and Fourth Armies have broken through the whole elaborate series of deep enemy defensive zones built up with successive belts of heavily fortified trench lines, including the entire Hindenburg system on a front of over thirty-five miles from St. Quentin to Arras. Having penetrated this battle area to a depth of between thirty and forty miles, our troops are now operating far beyond and east of the Hindenburg line. In the process of these operations and since the date mentioned we have inflicted very heavy losses on the enemy in killed and wounded, and have taken over 110,000 prisoners and 1,200 guns."

"This feat of arms has been performed by British troops who already had withstood the first and heaviest onslaught of the enemy's main forces in the spring. Only the endurance and determined spirit of these troops permitted them to pass to the offensive with such conspicuous success. By their heroic action in defence and attack the men from all parts of the British Empire have proved themselves soldiers of the highest order."

"The advance continues this afternoon. We have reached the general line of Bohain, Busigny, Caudry and Carrières."

**French Report.**

Paris, Oct. 10.—The following official report was issued here last night: "We have occupied Mezières-sur-Oise."

"The advance amounts to about eight kilometres east of St. Quentin. We have taken 2,000 prisoners and some guns and numerous machine guns."

"In the Aisne Valley we have carried the plateau and village of Montchelin, Grand Ham and Lagnon. We have crossed the Aisne north of Montchelin and captured Senne. We have taken more than 600 prisoners."

**Report From Pershing.**

Washington, Oct. 10.—Penetration of the German main line of resistance west of the Meuse by American troops against fresh enemy divisions is reported in General Pershing's communiqué for Wednesday.

East of the Meuse further gains were made during the day in spite of violent counter-attacks, while in the Ardenne Forest the American forces captured important heights south of Marcy and joined hands with the French at Landau. More than 2,000 additional prisoners are reported.

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**Speedy Advance.**

With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 9.—Via London, Oct. 10.—American forces operating west of the Meuse River returned to the attack against the formidable Kriemhilde line to-day. This assault was made south of Romagne, and a brilliant, speedy advance forced the Germans back through the positions prepared so long by them.

Further to the right American troops forced their way through Canel Wail, which was bristling with machine guns. This success made it easier to storm the Mamelle trench of the Kriemhilde line by sweeping away the flanking fire which had previously rendered its capture so difficult.

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After a night of heavy firing from the British guns, during which the sky seemed to blaze with flashes, the Third and Fourth Armies again attacked this morning from Cambrai, south to the front held by the French. At the same time Canadian and English troops, after a "crash barrage," launched a powerful attack extending some miles north of Cambrai. For miles the front suddenly sprang into action. The Canadians had hard going at one place just north of Cambrai but with great gallantry swept on after annihilating the Germans who tried to bar their way. From there on the resistance weakened and the Canadians, with the English, hurried eastward, smothering the last scraps of German machine gunners as they went.

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**Fires.**

Although many fires were started by the Germans, the town was found not to be so badly damaged as had been feared. The solid buildings withstood the flames well. It was quite evident, however, that it was no fault of the Germans that the city had not been revealed to the ground by the many fires they had kindled.

South of the city the Third and Fourth Armies rapidly overcame the enemy resistance. The Germans started fleeing soon after the attack began for they realized they were fighting a battle in which they could hope for no success. The front line for twenty miles began moving rapidly eastward. Then came reports from aeroplanes, and the sky was literally crowded with them. Soon the capture of Harcourt was reported. From then on tidings came in rapid succession of things falling before the Allied advance.

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The Cambrai-Le Cateau road was crossed and the railway between St. Quentin and Bertry was cut. Seboncourt was then in sight and Bouzincourt. Notre Dame, farther south, had been reported captured by the French. By that time it was clear that the enemy was badly smashed and that the British and Americans stood on the threshold of the wide open country.

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With the American Forces Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 9.—Via London, Oct. 10.—American forces operating west of the Meuse River returned to the attack against the formidable Kriemhilde line to-day. This assault was made south of Romagne, and a brilliant, speedy advance forced the Germans back through the positions prepared so long by them.

Further to the right American troops forced their way through Canel Wail, which was bristling with machine guns. This success made it easier to storm the Mamelle trench of the Kriemhilde line by sweeping away the flanking fire which had previously rendered its capture so difficult.

**One Hard Blow.**

With the British Army on the Cambrai-St. Quentin Front, Oct. 9.—Via London, Oct. 10.—By last night the British and Americans had reached a point where it was certain that the German line, with probably one hard blow, could be cracked. As a matter of fact, cavalry might have gone through the German lines last night in considerable numbers. Only patrols were sent out, however, while the main bodies were held just back of the line.

After a night of heavy firing from the British guns, during which the sky seemed to blaze with flashes, the Third and Fourth Armies again attacked this morning from Cambrai, south to the front held by the French. At the same time Canadian and English troops, after a "crash barrage," launched a powerful attack extending some miles north of Cambrai. For miles the front suddenly sprang into action. The Canadians had hard going at one place just north of Cambrai but with great gallantry swept on after annihilating the Germans who tried to bar their way. From there on the resistance weakened and the Canadians, with the English, hurried eastward, smothering the last scraps of German machine gunners as they went.

Canadian and British troops met in the centre of Cambrai, which was entered from both north and south, and quickly mopped up. Many Germans had escaped, but many hundreds who had been held there to launch a counter-attack were either killed or captured. Some of the enemy troops are still in deep cellars two stories underground and in the tunnels the Germans dug during their occupation of the city. The British routed out and sent back to the cages.

**Fires.**

Although many fires were started by the Germans, the town was found not to be so badly damaged as had been feared. The solid buildings withstood the flames well. It was quite evident, however, that it was no fault of the Germans that the city had not been revealed to the ground by the many fires they had kindled.

South of the city the Third and Fourth Armies rapidly overcame the enemy resistance. The Germans started fleeing soon after the attack began for they realized they were fighting a battle in which they could hope for no success. The front line for twenty miles began moving rapidly eastward. Then came reports from aeroplanes, and the sky was literally crowded with them. Soon the capture of Harcourt was reported. From then on tidings came in rapid succession of things falling before the Allied advance.

Seligny, Caullery, Ligny, Montigny and Marez were quickly reached and passed and soon the Allies were entering in on Caudry and Bertry. At the same time from the north it was reported that Escadouvres, east of Cambrai had been taken and that they were being approached.

The Cambrai-Le Cateau road was crossed and the railway between St. Quentin and Bertry was cut. Seboncourt was then in sight and Bouzincourt. Notre Dame, farther south, had been reported captured by the French. By that time it was clear that the enemy was badly smashed and that the British and Americans stood on the threshold of the wide open country.

**Poured Through.**

It was about that time that the cavalry, which had been waiting, poured through the wide breach in the new shattered Hindenburg system, and streamed on into the country beyond. Fast whippet tanks and armored cars also crashed forward, and came into action. They performed extremely valuable service in pursuing the fleeing Germans, killing many and rounding up a large number of prisoners.

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## TAKING OF CAMBRAI CANADIAN VICTORY

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With the Canadian Forces in France, Oct. 9, via London, Oct. 10.—(By J. F. R. Livesey, Canadian Press Correspondent.)—Early this morning Canadian troops penetrated Cambrai and are now in complete possession of the city. Thus is fulfilled the legitimate ambition of the Canadian army, for the accomplishment of which it had been fighting hard ever since it stormed the Canal du Nord and took Bourlon Wood on September 27. Even if the Imperial troops who yesterday so gallantly advanced south had had the good fortune to capture the city, its fall must still have been attributed to the sledge-hammer strokes of the Canadian army, before which the defence of the enemy crumbled.

The capture of Cambrai fittingly crowns the brilliant record of the corps since August 8. Cambrai fell in a night attack. We kicked off at 1.30. The morning was pitchy dark, but careful preparations resulted in overwhelming the enemy defence in the streets. Once the Place d'Armes was reached they spread out over the entire area and by daylight had passed through the city to the southeast, well out on the Avenue de Valenciennes, while on the southwest they had established themselves at the corner of the Boulevard de Liberte and the Porte de Paris. Some enemy elements apparently

were caught between the city and the Imperial troops farther south.

Our troops began at once to try to save the city from the fires that had broken out at various points. The Allies had not fired a single shell into Cambrai and these fires must have been of incendiary origin.

Meantime our Third Division swept out due east to the line of the Scheldt Canal, securing all bridgeheads as far as Eswars and capturing Morechies, Remilles, Blecourt and Cuvillers, with many hundreds of prisoners. The victory was complete and glorious.

## B. C. APPEALS IN THE SUPREME COURT

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—In the Supreme Court of Canada the case of Keen vs. Cunningham, an appeal from the Court of Appeal of British Columbia maintaining the judgment of the trial judge, was argued yesterday. The action was brought by the appellant alleging the existence of a partnership between the appellant and the respondent as to certain mining properties in British Columbia. The judgment at the trial was to the effect that there was no partnership agreement of any kind in evidence between the parties. Judgment was reserved.

The case of the A. R. Williams Machinery Company, of Vancouver, vs. Graham followed. This is an appeal from the judgment of the Court of Appeal of British Columbia dismissing an appeal from a judgment of Mr. Justice Murphy in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dismissing the action.

This action was brought for a declaration that the plaintiff is entitled to the sum of \$9,000 insurance received by the defendant from certain insurance policies, and that the defendant holds the same as trustee for the plaintiff, and for an order directing payment of said amount to the plaintiff.

Paris, Oct. 10.—Paul Fuglies-Conti, Deputy for the Seine, has asked the Ministry of War if, with the military front now nearly seventy miles from Paris, it would not be possible to discontinue the inclusion of the capital within the war zone.

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**THE PULP AND PAPER INDUSTRY OF CANADA**

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The Dominion of Statistics has just completed a census for 1917 of the pulp and paper industry throughout Canada. Altogether the census embraces eighty concerns, of which thirty-one were engaged in the manufacture of pulp only, twenty-six in the manufacture of paper only and twenty-three manufacturing both paper and pulp.

The total capitalization in this industry, including lands, buildings, machinery, stocks on hand and working capital, amounted to \$186,374,905.

The total number of employees on wages was 20,685 males and 671 females. On salaries, 1,545 males and females. The total salary and wage bill was \$20,344,286.

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**LONG AEROPLANE TRIP.**

Mount Clemens, Mich., Oct. 10.—Lieut. J. E. Davis arrived at Selfridge last evening, having flown from Ellington Field, Houston, Tex., in twenty-four hours' actual flying time. He will make the return trip in the same plane.

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## HIGHER SEPARATION PAY SEEMS NEAR

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He Would Recommend In-  
creased Scale

Vancouver, Oct. 10.—Speaking at a banquet tendered the visiting Dominion Ministers here last night by civic and municipal officials at which the necessity of increasing the allowance to soldiers' dependents and the development of this port were pointed out, Major-General Mewburn, Minister of Militia, said he would suggest to the Government that the separation allowance to dependents of non-commissioned officers and men be increased by \$5 per month, bringing it up to \$30;

to first-class warrant officers' dependents, an increase of \$5 per month, to \$35; to lieutenants' dependents, an increase of \$10 per month, bringing it up to \$40 (lieutenants' dependents do not participate in the Patriotic Fund allowances), and that the Patriotic Fund take care of cases in which the increased allowance is insufficient.

Hon. J. D. Reid.

Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals, said:

"Vancouver should be connected with Liverpool and the Canadian Atlantic ports by steamships running via the Panama Canal. The Government wharf should be connected up with the C. N. R. There will be terminal facilities here sufficient to handle any large or small vessel. As I do not favor the Government building a hotel here under the city's agreement with the C. N. R., some other arrangement or concession satisfactory to the city doubtless will be made. The additional filling in False Creek, which should have been done by the C. N. R. will be done by the Government."

Hon. F. B. Carvell.

Hon. F. B. Carvell, Minister of Pub-

lic Works, told those present that if any responsible company on the coast would come before the Government with a cut-and-dried scheme to build a drydock here the Government stood ready to grant the subsidy offered under the Act; that if the Government were to build a dock, it would lose money. What could be done by himself and his colleagues would be done, he felt, to see that the port of Vancouver was in a position after the war to share in the anticipated development. That the North Arm of the Fraser River channel should be improved (probably by dredging another ten feet) also was the Minister's belief.

## CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The following casualties have been announced:

### Infantry.

Killed in action—Lieut. C. T. Baker, Vancouver; Lieut. J. A. Collins, Winnipeg; Capt. D. F. Toole, Ireland; Lieut. T. West, England; Lieut. C. K. Flint, Winnipeg; Lieut. R. A. Cunningham, Scotland; Lieut. R. Kilborn, Fleming, Sask.; Capt. M. B. McDermid, Entwistle, Alta.; Lieut. J. P. Crawford, Toronto; Lieut. J. W. Rolph, Hants, N. S.; Lieut. T. W. Johnson, Suffield, Alta.; Lieut. C. M. Inglis, Vancouver; Lieut. G. Triggs, England; Lieut. W. Anderson, New Westminster; Capt. T. Barrie, Scotland; Lieut. A. C. Hannaford, Westmount, Que.; Pte. A. McCallum, Victoria.

Ill—Pte. H. Greer, Cloverdale, B. C.; Pte. S. Gilling, Victoria.

Gassed—Lieut. N. F. McCormack, Woodstock, N. B.; Lieut. E. Bedard, Ottawa.

Wounded—Pte. E. C. Schmidt, Vancouver; Pte. S. B. Semple, Victoria; Pte. H. C. Clarke, Victoria; Pte. E. Chapple, Victoria; Pte. E. W. Wilson, Armstrong; Pte. J. Hunt, Vancouver; Pte. W. J. Barclay, Vancouver; Pte. A. E. Aikman, Vancouver.

Wounded—Pte. J. W. S. Baker, Kamloops; Lieut. R. T. Hogan, Montreal; Lieut. M. Barlow, England; Lieut. J. H. Kavanagh, Scotland; Lieut. R. Aiken, Scotland; Lieut. J. S. Lamm, England; Lieut. W. E. Crothers, San Jose, Cal.; Lieut. M. G. Jenkins, Valcartier, Lieut. W. J. Murray, Scotland; Lieut. H. R. Hipwell, Stonewall, Man.; Lieut. V. Babbs, England; Lieut. E. P. Adie, Scotland; Lieut. H. E. Aubrey, San Francisco; Lieut. C. W. McCool, Burris, Ont.; Lieut. C. W. Jackson, Stonewall, Man.; Lieut. B. C. Hutchinson, Montreal; Lieut. W. W. Koele, England; Pte. N. McPhail, Vancouver; Pte. E. A. Williams, Vancouver; Pte. G. F. C. Ellis, Marysville, B. C.; Pte. T. B. Dempster, Victoria; Pte. T. E. Dods, Hope, B. C.; Pte. W. Jackson, Victoria; Pte. R. McKenzie, Vancouver; Pte. A. Gibbard, Mission Junction, B. C.; Pte. L. Elve,

Victoria; Capt. H. B. Trout, Richards Landing, Ont.; Capt. I. G. Atkin, Springfield, Ont.; Lieut. M. Barlow, England; Pte. E. A. Worsley, Vancouver.

### Infantry.

Killed in action—Lieut. R. O. Leach, England; Lieut. S. H. Dickinson, England; Capt. W. F. Jamieson, D.S.O., Winnipeg; Pte. R. J. Mond, Arden, Ont.; Pte. M. Kennedy, Scotland; Pte. H. Buckley, Three Rivers, P.Q.; Pte. J. E. Doan, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. J. Moreau, Tontes Aides, Man.; Pte. J. Maynard, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. G. Sullivan, Moncton, N.B.; Pte. C. Etherington, Harris, Ont.

Died of wounds—Pte. W. Halpenny, Caledonia, Ont.; Pte. S. Somerton, Kelly Grove, Nfld.; Pte. W. C. Day, Hatfield Point, N.B.; Pte. A. K. Chisholm, Briley's Brook, N.S.; Pte. T. Rigg, Toronto; Pte. W. H. Genmell, Edmonton, Alta.; Pte. R. R. Garnett, St. John, N.B.; Pte. E. B. Peterson, Ribstone, Alta.; Pte. D. Ferguson, Ireland.

Wounded—Pte. O. S. DesJardins, Stafford, Ont.; Pte. D. A. Dewar, Montague, P.E.I.; Pte. T. Donaldson, Sutherland, Sask.; Pte. J. Daws, Edmonton, Alta.; Pte. W. Laing, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. A. Lambert, Bonaventure, P.Q.; Pte. R. Lakin, U.S.A.; Pte. L. Charterand, Richmond, P.Q.; Pte. W. F. Collings, M.M., Keewatin, Ont.; Pte. L. J. Cowan, Winnipeg; Pte. A. Brophy, Winnipeg; Pte. R. J. Arsenault, Summerside, P.E.I.; Pte. F. T. G. Burley, Oshawa, Ont.; Pte. A. J. Hancock, U.S.A.; Pte. A. McConville, Calgary; Pte. A. T. McCombe, Durham, Ont.; Pte. H. S. Ludlam, Leamington, Ont.; Pte. N. J. Leonard, M.S.A., Pte. J. C. McLennan, Broderick, Sask.; Pte. J. A. Ledgerwood, Beachburg, Ont.; Pte. G. McLean, Moose Jaw, Sask.; Pte. F. J. McLeod, Summerside, P.E.I.; Pte. M. C. MacNeil, Dartmouth, N.S.; Pte. F. Massey, Montreal; Lance-Corpl. C. H. Murray, Millstream, P.Q.; Pte. G. Munt, Lindsay, Ont.; Pte. H. S. Puddington, Moncton, N.B.; Pte. C. L. Reid, Winnipeg, Man.; Pte. J. D. Riach, Montreal; Lance-Corpl. A. E. Goruch, Sackville, N.B.; Pte. R. Lean, Edmonton, Alta.; Pte. L. Grass, McAdam, Junction, N.B.; Pte. J. G. Graham, Burlington, Ont.; Pte. H. J. Sprout, Duncannon, Ont.; Pte. H. R. Vessey, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Sergeant F. Stitt, Toronto; Pte. C. E. Sproule, Lafleche, Sask.; Pte. G. L. Williams, Bridgeport, N.S.; Pte. J. C. Whitehouse, Millbank, N.B.; Pte. A. Walker, Scotland; Pte. J. Haley, Toronto; Pte. R. D. Flanagan, Montreal; Pte. J. D. Fox, Chatham, N.S.; Sergeant H. Costain, Minitosh, P.E.I.; Pte. W. M. Taylor, White Harbor, N.S.; Lance-Corpl. T. Chidlow, England; Pte. J. H. French, Ireland; Lance-Corpl. W. Baldwin, England; Sergeant R. E. Flower, England; Pte. J. R. Scotland; Pte. A. Perkins, England; Pte. W. T. Sinclair, Ireland; Pte. R. M. Reader, England; Pte. G. Carr, Scotland; Pte. G. Donald, Scotland; Pte. W. E. Jones, England; Pte. P. Burke, French Cove, N.S.; Lance-Corpl. G. Brooks, M.M., Newcastle, N.B.

Ill (influenza)—Pte. M. Hamelin, Laford, Alta.; Pte. C. Cliffford, Glen, Sask.; Pte. S. Austford, Mozart, Sask.; Pte. T. C. M. Audette, Taylor,

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Died of wounds—Pte. J. B. Tye, Morrisburg, Ont.; Pte. H. A. Underhill, Toronto; Pte. J. Hamilton, U.S.A.; Pte. W. H. Cudmore, Archyda, Sask.; Pte. D. Gardner, England; Pte. N. J. McNeil, Inverness, N.S.

Missing—Pte. L. A. Miller, Winnipeg; Pte. A. Phillips, England.

## SEATTLE URGED TO SPEED UP ITS WAR LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS

Seattle, Oct. 10.—With but eight days remaining in the campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan, Seattle must raise approximately \$10,000,000, city headquarters announced this morning. The slowness of the campaign is attributed in part to the closing of indoor gatherings due to the Spanish influenza epidemic, and in greater part to the slowness of the people in realizing the serious need of the campaign.

An encouraging feature of the work, despite its gloom in some respects, however, is the fact that reports to state headquarters here show that labor-salary and wage earners throughout the state are responding liberally with loan subscriptions. Washington at large, has subscribed fifty-four per cent of its quota, or \$31,297,000. Island County, one of the sparsely settled districts, has not only passed its quota of \$41,624, but is close to the \$69,999 mark.

## WILSON'S REPLY TO ENEMY PEACE MOVE PLEASES LAURIER

Toronto, Oct. 10.—"It is exactly what I thought it would be," declared Sir Wilfrid Laurier when interviewed here to-day in reference to President Wilson's reply to the German request for an armistice. "I have really nothing to add to what I said a couple of days ago, that I was sure President Wilson's reply would be in the best interests of the Allies."

## COLOGNE GAZETTE STILL TRYING TO PUT ON BOLD FRONT

Basel, Oct. 10.—"Only military reasons could compel us to accept President Wilson's conditions," says The Cologne-Gazette in commenting on the American reply to the German peace proposal. "It is possible Germany may require counter-guarantees, for example, the evacuation of the colonies occupied by the Allies."

## SWEEP OF SPANISH GRIPPE IN MEXICO

Mexico City, Oct. 10.—Some 5,000 cases of Spanish influenza have been reported in Monterey and the disease is raging in the states of Nuevo Leon, San Luis Potosi, Coahuila and Tamaulipas, while numerous cases have appeared in Saltillo, Torreon and various other centres of population in the northern states.

Schools, churches and other public meeting places are being closed.

### STRIKE VOTE.

Moose Jaw, Oct. 10.—The Federated Trades and Labor Council members here to a man at a rousing meeting last night decided to take a strike vote in support of the C. P. R. freight handlers who are at present on strike. The council also demanded the reinstatement of Chief Clerk Shankland, of the C. P. R. superintendent's office, who was dismissed after refusing to work in the freight sheds after the strike was called.

### SPANISH INFLUENZA.

Washington, Oct. 10.—Reports to the State Department yesterday said Spanish influenza was prevalent in Cape Town, South Africa, Elizabethtown, Australia and Pernambuco, South America.

### CONSERVE WOOD PULP.

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## GREAT IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED IN PANAMA

Panama, Oct. 10.—Belisario Porras, First Vice-President of the Republic, has arrived here and will assume the presidency of the country for a period of six months while extensive improvements in the provinces are undertaken with the assistance of the United States.

In an address to his followers, Dr. Porras referred to the great and unselfish part the United States is playing in Latin America. He predicted a great future for Panama under the assistance and guidance of the United States.

### RIGHT TO ORGANIZE.

San Francisco, Oct. 10.—Women telephone operators are given the right to organize and no discrimination is to be practiced against girl operators affiliating with their union, according to an agreement entered into here last night between the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, and members of the Telephone Operators' Union. Commissioner of Immigration Edward A. White, acted as federal mediator.

### KILLED HIMSELF.

Regina, Oct. 10.—In a fit of despondency brought on by failure to raise \$100 with which to make good a sum he had stolen from his girl, with whom he had had a quarrel, Henry Larsen, of Wilcox, Sask., swallowed carbolic acid here to-day while in an automobile with a provincial constable, and died as he reached the door of the hospital.

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## A GENERAL RETREAT.

The general retreat of the Huns has begun. The smashing victory of the Allies on the Cambrai-St. Quentin line has forced them to commence the movement they have sought to avoid with all the military and diplomatic means at their command. Sir Douglas Haig's victorious forces are advancing on a wide front northeast, east and southeast of Cambrai, while the French are pressing steadily forward northeast and east of St. Quentin.

The whole hostile defensive system in that sector has been penetrated; the network of railway lines and highways which served it is in Haig's hands and the Allies are now moving logically along two of the four great avenues to Belgium and the Rhine over which the Huns surged into France—one from Cambrai along the valley of the Schelde to Valenciennes, Mons and Brussels, and the other from St. Quentin along the valley of the Sambre to Maubeuge, Namur and the Meuse. Northeast of Cambrai they are about fifteen miles from Valenciennes, and southeast of Cambrai they are within two miles of Le Cateau, a little more than twenty miles from Maubeuge.

The Allies east of Cambrai and St. Quentin are operating in open country and the enemy cannot make more than a very temporary stand until he has reached a line running southeastward from Valenciennes and near the Franco-Belgian frontier. What resistance he offers in the meantime will be with the object of gaining time to extricate the armies on both sides of the broken sector, a process which must extend to the abandonment of both the Lille salient in the north and the Laon salient in the south. The Germans, therefore, must devote all their resources to checking the deadly wedge between Cambrai and St. Quentin which, if it should drive as far within the next two or three days as it has driven in the last forty-eight hours, will inflict overwhelming disaster upon the whole German front.

Until a few weeks ago it was generally anticipated that when the enemy was forced to retreat from the Hindenburg system he would fall back upon a line running from the Belgian coast near Nieupoort, south to a point southwest of Lille, and then southeastward near the Franco-Belgian border through Valenciennes and Maubeuge to Mezieres on the Meuse which it would follow to the north of Verdun there joining the present line through Lorraine to the Vosges. But Plumer's fine victory in Flanders, which brought the Allies to the suburbs of Roulers and which likely will be pressed further, has made it impossible for the enemy to anchor his line on the Belgian coast or to keep it in front of Lille. He must evacuate the entire Lille salient without delay or he never will evacuate it at all except as Foch's prisoner.

Just as Haig's drive between Cambrai and St. Quentin has made the Lille salient a trap which each day's developments make more difficult, so it has hopelessly compromised the great Laon bastion in the south, the elbow of the entire West Front. The Laon corner in fact, is in a more serious position than the Lille salient, for the Germans there have farther to go and their most important rearward communication is more immediately menaced. The French east of St. Quentin are a formidable threat at the great trunk road of Laon-Hirson-Namur and the Meuse, while the Franco-American advance north of Rheims and in the Champagne is designed to cut off the Laon corner on the east. Hence, a German retirement from the Lille and Laon salients may be expected to begin immediately, and probably the enemy on the Belgian coast will move eastward about the same time.

These retrograde operations perhaps are in progress now, and within a few days we shall read of the entire enemy front from the sea to the east of Rheims endeavoring to retreat in the hope of reaching probably the line of Antwerp-Brussels and the Meuse, with the line of Valenciennes and Maubeuge as a half-way resting place. Foch's strategy, however, is not directed at the retirement of the German armies but at their destruction where they stand. Therefore, he is likely to strike with great strength and violence in numerous sectors with the object of pinning the Germans in front of him. The enemy will find his general retreat a costly, precarious operation. That is why he proposed an armistice.

## SOLDIERS' DEPENDENTS.

General Newburn, Minister of Militia, is reported to have stated in Vancouver that he would recommend to the Government that the separation allowances for soldiers' dependents be increased as follows: for dependents of non-commissioned soldiers, \$5.00 per month; for dependents of warrant officers, \$5.00 per month; for dependents of lieutenants, \$10.00 per month; for dependents of captains, \$15.00 per month; for dependents of majors, \$20.00 per month; for dependents of colonels, \$25.00 per month; for dependents of generals, \$30.00 per month.

ing the total up to \$30; first-class warrant officers' dependents, \$5, bring their allowance to \$35; dependents of lieutenants, \$10, making their total allowance \$40, the additional increase being due to the fact that lieutenants' dependents now do not benefit from the Patriotic Fund. In cases where this scale of increase is insufficient the General will recommend that the Patriotic Fund, which we assume will be administered by the Government, will make up the difference.

We can assure General Newburn that the Patriotic Fund will have a lot of supplementing to do on the scale he proposes. Otherwise, the dependents would be very little better off than they are now. An increase of \$5 per month by itself would be scarcely more than an irritation; it would not even take care of the monthly enhancement of living expenses in this country.

Do not the members of the Government peruse the reports issued by the Department of one of their colleagues on the weekly cost of keeping an average family in Canada? If they do they must be aware that the scale of separation allowances granted to soldiers' dependents is a long way behind the cost of the family budget as officially estimated.

According to the Labor Gazette for September the cost per week of a family budget of staple foods, rent, fuel and lighting was \$21.20, an increase of \$1.46 per week or \$5.84 per month over the cost in August. In British Columbia the total cost was somewhat higher than in the other provinces, being \$22.38 or, roughly, \$90 for the month. And this total does not include clothing, drugs, medical treatment, school books, car-fare and similar incidentals, and necessary healthful recreation. The average soldier's family faces a big deficit every month, and the soldier, therefore, is burdened with a heavy handicap when he returns—if he should return.

When the Government has taken over the Patriotic Fund that expenditure should be merged in a general appropriation for soldiers' dependents; that is to say, instead of treating the two as separate funds they should be a single separation allowance fund, the amounts paid out being based upon the cost of keeping soldiers' dependents in comfort and security. But the main thing is to see that, whatever may be the designation of the fund, it is sufficient to guarantee every dependent against want.

## MINISTERIAL VISITS.

It is unfortunate that, owing to the measures adopted by the authorities to prevent the epidemic of influenza entrenching itself in this city, the Dominion Cabinet Ministers will not have an opportunity of addressing a public gathering here. Unusual interest would have attached to remarks made by them on such an occasion, because they undoubtedly would contain much that is enlightening on the great problems confronting the country and the difficulty of dealing with them. As we pointed out when Mr. Rowell was here, while Ministers can learn much from personal visits of this kind, so the people of the districts visited can learn much from the Ministers.

The Government is criticized in many parts of Canada on numerous grounds. It is charged with being irresolute and weak in dealing with important matters which, it is felt, should be grappled with promptly and strongly. It is contended that certain things are allowed to drift, whereas the Government was elected to stop drifting and to speed up the solution of the country's problems. Much of this criticism is unjust, based upon misconception in some cases and on downright ignorance in others; but much of it is sound. The business of the Ministers is to show wherein the criticism under the first head is at fault and to learn under the second head wherein they are at fault. That probably is why so large a proportion of Cabinet heads are touring the West at this time.

But while the Ministers of Public Works, Immigration and Colonization, Militia and Defence and Railways will not have an opportunity of enlightening the public directly while in the city, the public, as they no doubt are finding out, is allowing them no idle moments.

The Minister of Public Works is hearing about the necessity of proceeding with the construction of the drydock at Esquimalt and assistance for the Johnson Street bridge; the Minister of Militia and Defence, who will be here to-morrow, will be enlightened on the attitude of Victoria towards the removal of parts of its military establishment to the Mainland. The Minister of Railways is being urged to begin the track-laying on the Canadian Northern extension in accordance with the understanding with the Provincial Government, while the urgency of increasing the allowances of dependents of soldiers is being urged upon all of them here as elsewhere throughout the country.

Other matters no less important are also being brought to their attention, so that while health regulations prevent them giving the public first-hand information on matters of outstanding importance the public, less handicapped, is able through delegations to make its wishes known to them, and is taking full advantage of its opportunities.

## HURTING A HELPING PUBLIC.

Mr. McAdoo's statement that "every employee who is disloyal to the public" is helping parties or selfish interests to discredit Government control of railroads "does not go far enough. The evil wrought is more than that. The wrong-doer is helping to discourage and delay a public whose whole energy is directed toward bettering the way."

## QUARTER OF MILLION TEUTONS IN FULL RETREAT

(Continued from page 1.)

was active all night. The bombardment met with little reaction. In the centre the Americans are holding all the advanced positions which they gained yesterday. Early this morning the Germans laid down a harassing fire in the areas to the rear of the American positions.

## Argonne Forest.

Paris, Oct. 10.—Yesterday General Gouraud's forces advanced still farther toward the important junction of Vouziers, while American troops pushed forward and joined the French south of Grand Fre, thus completing the conquest of the Argonne Forest. The result of Marshal Foch's successful strategy is that the region of Laon and the St. Gobain massif has become so dangerous that the evacuation of this vast and important pocket by the enemy in the near future seems imperative.

## LONDON PAPERS ON WILSON'S REPLY TO TEUTON PEACE MOVE

London, Oct. 10.—President Wilson's reply to the German Chancellor finds fullest support in this evening's newspapers. The Westminster Gazette says the answer "will put to an effective test the sincerity of the German peace move." The Standard says the questions asked by President Wilson "go to the root of matters and indicate very clearly the insincerity, weakness and hollowness of the proposals put forward by Prince Maximilian."

## LETTERS

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## HOPE YET FOR THE THEOLOGICALS.

To the Editor.—I think that Mr. Inkster's letter of this evening calls for a brief final word. I write it gladly because it is far more than a personal matter—it indicates a way out of the confusion and bitterness that afflict our religious thinking.

According to Mr. Inkster, the theologian, we progressive thinkers are children of the devil—vendors of poison—blind dupes of German professors—hopelessly damned.

But Inkster, the man, takes no stock in any of these things. He meets us on the street with a clear eye and a friendly greeting; he works with us for social progress; he neither dares, nor even wishes, to regard us as other than brothers.

In fact I am sure that if he and I stood together at Heaven's portals, and Peter accepted my credentials as readily as he accepted his, he would be neither shocked nor grieved; after the first momentary surprise he would be glad to find that Heaven was bigger than his anticipations.

Thank God, our theologians are still men; and one healthy effect of the war is that their manhood is being accentuated and their controversies pushed into the background. I venture to say that this tendency is a Divine Revelation of the first order to our age; that the Spirit who bridged the gulf for Paul between the old covenant and the new will ultimately bridge the gulf for Mr. Inkster between dogmatism and freedom.

Thanking you for the hospitality of your columns.

E. J. BOWDEN.

569 Boundary Road, Oct. 8, 1918.

## HOT-ONIONS FOR PNEUMONIA.

To the Editor.—Hot onions, according to a French physician, are a sure cure for pneumonia.

The remedy is as follows: Take six to ten onions, according to size, and chop fine, then add the same quantity of rye meal, and vinegar enough to moisten the mass. The mixture is stirred thoroughly, letting it simmer for five to ten minutes, then put in a cotton bag large enough to cover the lungs, and apply to chest as hot as the patient can bear it. In about ten minutes apply another one, and thus continue by re-heating the poultice; and in a few hours the patient will be out of danger.

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(Cut from an English paper several years ago.)

## GERMAN KULTUR.

To the Editor.—If you can find space for the enclosed typical extracts of the "progressive" and "darkened" judgment of the German mind and its fearful blasphemy, from published German reports, it may prove interesting to some of your readers at this time, and possibly clarify their ethical ideas. Pastor Zoebel, speaking in the great Lutheran Church in Leipzig, referred to the German guns beating down the children of Satan, and to German submarines as instruments to execute the Divine vengeance "to send to the bottom of the sea thousands of the non-elect. There ought to be no compromise with hell, no mercy for the servants of Satan." In other words, no pity for the English, French and Russian, nor, indeed, for any nation that has sold itself to the devil. They have all been condemned to death by a Divine decree.

Professor Reinhold Seeby, a teacher

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, Oct. 10, 1893.

Counterfeit Canadian silver is in circulation in New Westminster and Vancouver. It is only a middling imitation of the genuine coin, and is easily detected by ring or color.

The steamer Danube returned from the North this morning with a large number of passengers and the balance of the salmon from the northern canneries. The Danube called at Masset on the way up, taking a large number of Indians over from the Mainland.

The jury in the case of Regina v. Francis, wounding, having failed to agree after several hours' deliberation yesterday afternoon, was discharged, and this morning a new jury was empanelled.

Alb. D. R. Harris, the new member of the City Council from the South Ward, took his seat last evening.

## This Question Arises



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of theology in the Berlin University, preaching in the Cathedral of that city, said that in killing their enemies, burning their houses, and invading their territories, the Germans simply performed a work of charity.

Pastor Fritz Philipp, of Berlin, preaching from his Protestant pulpit on the Divine mission of Germany, said that as the Almighty allowed His Son to be crucified, that the scheme of redemption might be accomplished, so Germany was destined to crucify humanity, in order that its salvation might be secured. The human race could only be saved by blood, fire and sword. "It is really because we are pure," he said, "that we have been chosen by the Almighty as His instrument to punish the enemies, to chastise the wicked, and to slay with the sword, the sinful nations. The Divine mission of Germany, oh brethren! is to crucify humanity; the duty of all German soldiers, therefore, is to strike without mercy. They must kill, burn and destroy, and any half measures would be wicked. Let it then be a war without pity."

He must be a poor sort of Christian who can regard such men, and their countless sympathizers of the pews, without feelings of horror. It is not for us to anticipate the Divine judgment respecting the eternal destiny of these men. What concerns us has regard to our attitude toward them here and now; and to recognize them as Christians would betoken disloyalty to Christ. Neither do we need the horrors and infamies of German Kultur to teach us that earth can never be the home of love, peace and happiness until the King of Love, the "Prince of Peace," whose name is above every name, and in whom is the fullness of the Godhead bodily returns again, as He has promised to do; and before whom every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. How can the earth have peace while the Prince of Peace is absent?

G. JENNINGS BURNETT.

## HAIG ISLAND.

To the Editor.—If change the name of our fair island we must, why not name it Haig Island, after that great general who has fought and won so many big battles for our Empire?

What could better commemorate the sacrifice of our boys, the fairest of the land, than to name our island after one under whom they fought, died and won? What name could remind us more clearly in the days to come of our Canada's part in the fight for civilization, of Germany's detestable crime, and is this not the name our children's children's children will talk of in reverence and in praises sing when even Napoleon's name was cease to rise?

"SCOTCHMAN."

## A HINT TO MOTHERS.

To the Editor.—If there is one thing that ought to be stopped at the present time more than another it is the practice of mothers who persist in taking their children to auction sales.

Not only do they take them inside the houses but, worse still, when their children are getting tired they either place them or allow them to lie on the couches or mattresses that are around and go to sleep.

This or orange bedding cannot possibly be termed sanitary, and if done in ignorance of the consequences then it is time that they were brought to their notice that they are doing the children a great injustice.

I am certain the auctioneers of this city would be only too pleased if the mothers left their children at home or with some friends, for they are a source of worry with their noise when the bidding is on and in many instances destroy articles.

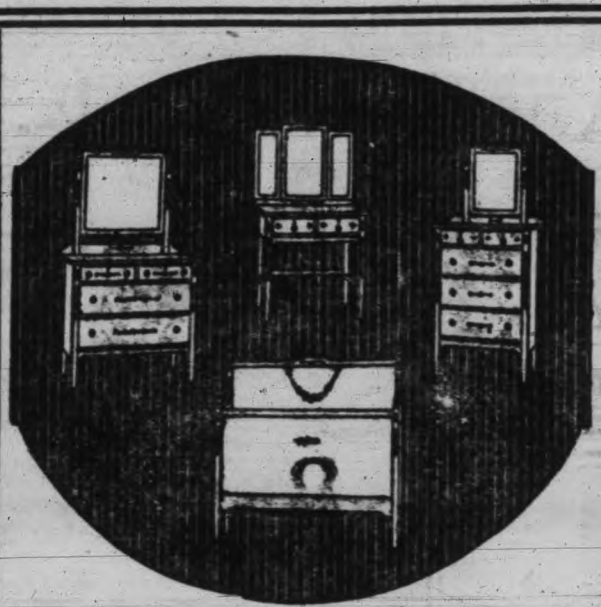
I would like also to drop a hint to those ladies who frequent these places not for the sake of making a purchase but to kill time. If they will stay away during this critical time and allow a little more breathing space to those who are there to buy they will be doing a lot of good.

E. EVANS.

1107 View St., Victoria, Oct. 8.

## PROGRESSIVE THEOLOGY.

To the Editor.—I have read with very great interest the discussion on Progressive Theology by Mr. Inkster, Mr. Bowden and Mr. McLean, and I realize that fools step in where angels fear to tread. As one in the wilderness, looking for spiritual guidance I thought by following up the discussion I would find a place to rest my weary soul. Now I want to believe, but for



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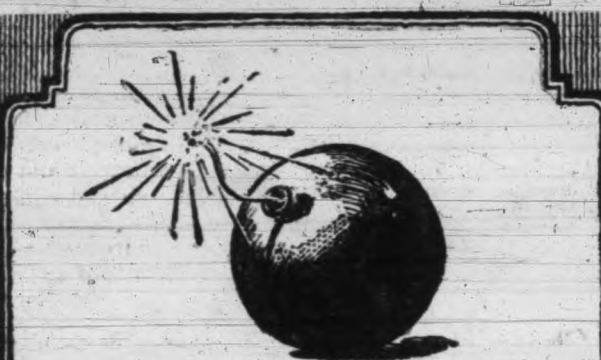
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TOM DOOLEY,  
2144 Millgrove Street.

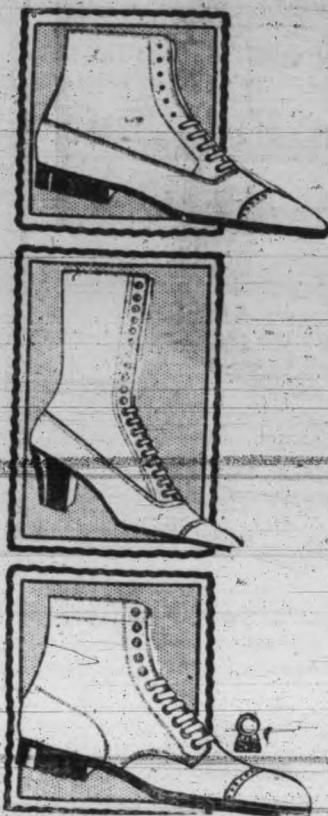


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## A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Snow Bird

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Even though the day was in October and it would soon be November and Thanksgiving, it was quite warm in Woodland where Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, lived.

"I don't believe I'll need my fur coat to-day," he said to Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady housekeeper, as he started out from his hollow stump bungalow. "It is nice and warm now."

"Leave your coat home and I'll see that the muffs don't bite holes in it," said Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy. "I suppose you are going off to look for an adventure."

"Yes," answered Uncle Wiggily. "I am, and I hope I find a nice one. Is there anything you would like me to bring you from the store?"

"You might bring some flour," spoke Nurse Jane. "But don't bring all wheat. Have them mix some rice, barley or something else in with it as a substitute, so they'll have plenty of wheat to send across the ocean for our soldiers over there."

"I'll do that," said Uncle Wiggily. "Flour you shall have, to make Victory bread or cake, Hurray!"

So Uncle Wiggily went on hopping through the woods, until he came to the four storeys and there the bunny rabbit gentleman put the white stuff in a bag, not putting in too much wheat, of course, for the bunny rabbit wanted to see the war as much as Uncle Wiggily did, or Nurse Jane either.

"Now then," spoke the bunny uncle, "with my bag of flour, I'll travel on and see what kind of an adventure I may find. I hope it will be a nice one."

Hardly had he spoken the words than he heard, from a nearby bush, a little chirping bird of a voice saying:

"Oh, dear! I came south too early! Oh, I should have stayed up at the North Pole a month or so longer. My! How warm I am, and I ought to be shivering! Oh, dear!" said Uncle Wiggily to himself. "Who can it be who wants to shiver on such a nice, warm October day?"

So, the bunny uncle rabbit peeked between the bushes, and there, on a branch, he saw perched a little white bird.

"Was it you talking like that, being sorry because it wasn't cold so you could shiver?" asked the bunny uncle.

"It was, if you please," answered the little feathered chap.

"And who are you, if you do not mind telling me?" asked the bunny.

"I am the Snow Bird," was the answer. "I only ought to come around when there is snow on the ground and when leaves hang like the fringe of a lady's shawl from the porch roof. But I came down from my North Pole home too soon. Here there is no ice and no snow and, as I am used to cold weather, I don't know what to do. Oh, dear."

"Dear me!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "I do seem to have the curiousness adventure! One day I meet a locust who is afraid of the cold, and the next day I meet a Snow Bird who wants it freezing."

"Do you think you can make it freezing for me?" asked the bird. "If you can't I shall have to fly away back to the North Pole and—"

"That would be too bad," said Uncle Wiggily. "Nearly all the other birds are gone and we need you here. I wonder how I could get you to stay?"

"By making it cold instead of hot for me," answered the Snow Bird.

"And, just then, through the woods lumbered Mr. Whitewash, the polar bear. Under one paw he carried a cake of ice.

Mr. Whitewash, the polar bear, had just been to the bakery shop to get the cake of ice, without which he could not sleep, as he had to be cold, too, like the Snow Bird.

"Hail, I know what you can do," said Uncle Wiggily to the bird. "You can go and live with Mr. Whitewash in his freezing cave, with the cakes of

ice, until winter comes. Then you will be all right."

"Fine!" chirped the Snow Bird. "Will he let me?"

"Of course I will," said Mr. Whitewash, when Uncle Wiggily asked him. "The Snow Bird may stay with me as long as she likes. I have plenty of ice."

"But have you any snow?" asked the bird. "I need snow, too."

"Alas, I have no snow—only ice," said Mr. Whitewash.

"Oh, dear!" cheeped the bird. "Hail, I have it!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "I'll let you take a little of Nurse Jane's flour. You can toss it in front of an electric fan and it will blow about just like white snow."

"Fine!" cried Mr. Whitewash. So he took a little of the bunny's Victory flour, together with the cake of ice, and he made his cave so like one of the North Pole, that the Snow Bird was happy. And the flour wasn't wasted, for when real winter came the polar bear gentleman swept the flour up, cleaned it and made himself a dog biscuit.

Thus everything came out right, you see, and if the book on the lady's dress doesn't catch in the eye of the needle and tickle the foot of the stairs I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the next plan.

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## IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

### SOCIAL PERSONAL

Mrs. W. J. Bowser is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Brown.

Miss Lettich, Provincial President of the King's Daughters, is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. Alex. Henderson, Haro Street.

Mrs. Macdonald Fahey has gone over to the Mainland to appear in recital to-night with M. Sklarevski, the Russian pianist, at Wesley Church, Vancouver.

Major Walter Caswell and Mrs. Caswell are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hopper in Vancouver. Major Caswell expects to be in Victoria for some time and Mrs. Caswell will probably join him here.

The Lieutenant-Governor returned to Government House on Tuesday after a two weeks' trip through Alberta. He was accompanied on the trip by Eric Hamber, R. G. McPherson and Frank W. Peters, of Vancouver.

Mrs. Ashton, of Ottawa, wife of Major-General E. C. Ashton, Adjutant-General for Canada, is visiting in the city for a few days, and yesterday was the guest at the tea-hour of Mrs. W. H. Belsan.

Mrs. Carvell has accompanied her husband, Hon. F. B. Carvell, Federal Minister of Public Works, to the coast and with her Mrs. A. M. Fisher, of Woodstock, N. B. The party is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Recent orders issued from Headquarters, Military District No. 11, include the following item: "The following Nursing Sisters having been taken on the strength of the A. M. C. are attached to the 18th Field Ambulance Unit for Pay and Allowances as from August 22, 1918 (R. O. 1116): Nursing Sisters Mabel Florence Hadfield, Cassie Mildred Hunter and Josephine Belle Peters."

Announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage of Lieut. M. C. Cockshott, Canadian Forestry Corps, B.E.F., eldest son of Lieut. J. E. and Mrs. Cockshott, of Maple Bay, and Miss M. Beattie, of Sunderland, England. Lieut. Cockshott enlisted with the 48th Battalion in Victoria in 1914, and was sent to France with the 2nd Division in September, 1915. After considerable front line service, during which he was granted a commission in the 48th Battalion, he was married as unit for infantry, and after being attached to the A. G. staff at General Headquarters Forestry Corps. He is at present adjutant of a district near Verdun.

Local friends of Miss E. M. Pemberton, a daughter of the late Judge A. Pemberton, of this city, and cousin of F. B. Pemberton, will doubtless be interested in the following extract from The Halifax Evening Mail, of recent date: "Miss Pemberton, night superintendent at the Victoria General Hospital, gave, at the supper on the occasion of the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Graduate Nurses' Association, an address on 'Our Absent Members,' which is referred to as having been one of the very finest which that body has ever enjoyed. In beautiful and feeling phrases she rendered by the members of the Association near overseas, and her tribute to the memory of Nursing Sister Follie, drowned in the torpedoed ship hospital ship Llandovery Castle, was a singularly perfect one."

An interesting war wedding was solemnized on October 5 in Holy Trinity Church, Toronto, when the marriage took place of one of Toronto's well-known girls, Miss Maud Arthur Weir, granddaughter of Mrs. William Arthur, to Capt. C. C. McGill, Signal Service, Canadian Siberian expeditionary force. The service was taken by the rector, Rev. R. Sherman, in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride, who was escorted by an old family friend, Charles Hunsford, of Chicago, was given away by her grandmother. She was wearing a suit of fawn gaine and brown tulle and carried a bouquet of roses. Miss May, the only bridesmaid, in grey Georgette with purple picture hat and bouquet of sunset roses. Capt. Everett, M. C. of the Siberian expeditionary force, was best man. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom drove to the train and left for the coast, where they will make their home pending Capt. McGill's departure for Siberia.

The following announcement from The Halifax Herald of Sept. 24 will be of interest to local friends of the groom: "Vaughan Road Church of Christ, Toronto, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, on Saturday, Sept. 21, when R. G. Schell, a resident of Toronto, was united in marriage to Miss Doris Sumnerfield, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sumnerfield, 179 North. Mess Street, Hamilton, to W. W. Anderson, R. A. F. Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Anderson, 2615 Fifth Street, Victoria. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Her cousin, Miss A. Fletcher, of Toronto, acted as bridesmaid, and wore a dress of pale green silk and carried a bouquet of pink roses. H. A. Overend, R. A. F., Toronto, was groomsmen. After the ceremony, which was witnessed by a large gathering of friends, a wedding luncheon was served. The happy couple were recipients of many beautiful presents. Later the bridal party motored to Hamilton for a short stay with the parents of the bride."

THE CLIMAX.

He had been courting Mary for a long time. It happened on Sunday night after church. They were sitting on the sofa, and she looked with ineffable tenderness into his noble blue eyes. "Tom," she murmured, with a tremor in her voice, "didn't you tell me once you would be willing to do any act of heroism for my sake?"

"Yes, Mary; and I gladly reiterate that statement now," he replied, in confident tones. "No noble Roman of old was fired with a loftier ambition, a braver resolution than I."

"Well, Tom, I want you to do something really heroic for me."

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In response to an appeal from the Women's Auxiliary Committee to the Military Convalescent Hospitals, the King's Daughters have sent a wheel chair to the Jubilee Hospital for the use of invalid soldiers. All three circles have contributed equally to the cost, it was stated at the monthly meeting of the Daughters held in the rest room on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. H. Hardie presided and there was a good attendance of members. The usual reports were received and bills ordered paid, and it was stated that the service which is being rendered by the members of the Association near overseas, and her tribute to the memory of Nursing Sister Follie, drowned in the torpedoed ship hospital ship Llandovery Castle, was a singularly perfect one."

The finance committee brought in a partial statement showing receipts and disbursements in connection with the refreshment concession at the Home Products Fair. Indications point to a very substantial sum being realized from the week of hard work and the members feel proud for their efforts. The president thanked all the members for their hearty co-operation and willingness to work.

Owing to the influenza epidemic it was decided to postpone the rummage sale until further notice.

The King's Daughters extend their thanks to the following for donations and courtesies extended: The Management of the Home Products Fair, the Rotary Club, Acton Bros, R. C. Electric Railway Co., Ltd., Shelly's, Rennie & Taylor, F. Burns, Swift, the B. W. Co., Ltd., the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the I. O. O. F., J. Bartholomew, Jameson Coffee Co., Pioneer Coffee & Spice Mills, Northwestern Creamery, Western Picking Works, Pioneer Coffee & Spice Mills, Powell & Sons' Cheapside, Kent Edison Co.

## RE-MARRIAGE OF WAR

### WIDOWS ON INCREASE

Statistics in 'England Show That Nearly Ten Per Cent Re-Marry

"What would Tony Weller, Uncle Toby or Sir Roger de Coverly think of a land so tragically full of widows as England to-day? It is a subject in which even Dickens would find nothing but sadness; yet sociologists extract a certain comfort from figures showing that the social fabric is partially repairing itself, says The New York Evening Post.

Five or six years after the Crimean war the authorities found that of every 1,000 marriages, 100 were the remarriages of widows. The normal ratio may be taken as about that of 1911—twenty to the thousand. In 1914 the figure began rising; it continued to do so in 1915; and in 1916, according to the British registrar-general, it reached eighty-five to the thousand. Last year it is estimated that it rose to ninety-four, and there is reason to believe that it will yet attain the figure of post-Crimean days.

This is a fairly familiar phenomenon, it has been observed in this country by those responsible for the payment of benefits to the widows of men killed in disasters, that within a few years an extraordinary number remarried. In England the disproportion between the numbers of men and women is such that one would not expect the remarriage to be so great as here after the civil war; though the presence of a million colonists in or near England has reduced the disproportion.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTES THROUGHOUT PROVINCE HOLDING CONFERENCES

Will Discuss Burning Questions of Day; Advisory Board Now Elective

Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman, Chairman of the Advisory Board of Women's Institutes; Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, Secretary of the Board, with Dr. Helen Ryan and Mrs. Spofford have left to attend the series of conferences of the Women's Institutes on the Mainland.

The annual conferences in the four districts of British Columbia will be held at the following points: Okanagan and North Thompson District will hold the conference at Kelowna on October 15 and 16. The conference at Kelowna represented will be Barriere, Kalamalka, Kelowna, Mission, Penticton, Okanagan Centre and Wood's Lake, Peachland, Penticton, Rutland, Salmon Arm, Salmon River Valley, Silver Creek, Summerland, Tappen, West Summerland, Vernon and Similkameen.

Kootenay and Boundary District will meet at Kaslo on October 15 and 16, to which the Institutes sending representatives are Arrow Park, Boundary, Burton City, Crawford Bay, Cranbrook, Creston, Harrop and District, Kaslo and District, Nakusp, Nelson, Robson, Rock Centre and Willow Point.

The Lower Mainland will meet in conference at New Westminster on October 22 and 24, when the Institutes represented will be Agassiz, Atcheltz, Burquitlam, Central Park, Chilliwack, Coquitlam, Haney, Hazelton, Langley, Port Moody, Mission City, Surrey, Tynehead and Sumas will send delegates.

Vancouver Island will hold conference at Victoria on October 29, 30 and 31. The Institutes sending delegates are Comox, Colwood, Garden City, Gordon Head, Ladysmith, Langford, Cowichan, Parksville, Oyster District, Metcheson, North Saanich, South Saanich, West Saanich, Tillamook, Sooke, Shawnigan and Cobble Hill.

Board Now Elective. The conferences this year will be marked by a step in advance in the matter of electing the members of the Advisory Board. Heretofore the four members comprising the Advisory Board have been appointed by the Minister of Agriculture, but in keeping with the times and as a mark of recognition of the present state of the Institutes each district conference elects its member to the Advisory Board. This puts British Columbia in line with the other provinces of the Dominion who all elect their governing boards.

Topics for discussion at the four conferences include "Work of the Institutes," "Problems and Movements Among the Women of Eastern Canada," "Public Health and Health of the School Child," "Minimum Wages for Women," "Mothers' Pensions," "Co-operation," "Junior Members," "Citizenship," "School Welfare," "Navy League," "Canada," "Work Among the Blind," "Bee-Keeping," "Subnormal Children" and "What Assistance Might Be Given by the Department Along the Line of Increased Production."

Live Topics. The Institutes, like all women's organizations (and most men's) are to-day considering the question of race betterment, and the care and feeding of infants, children and school children, prevention of disease, dental attention, removable defects, etc., are all occupying the attention of the sixty-two institutes of the Province.

In connection with this it might be noted to state that the Provincial Board of Health has material for health exhibits such as panels, posters, lantern slides and moving picture films, which any organization may obtain by paying transportation charges. Similar material has been in use for some time in the United States, and is being constantly used this year—the year when the call from Washington is to reduce the 300,000 infant death rate by 100,000.

Canning and conserving is also receiving consideration from the Institutes and a movement to form community canning clubs is taking shape. The institutes are getting in readiness to start with the opening of the 1919 season.

School Welfare. The question of school welfare is another live question with the Institutes over the province, and the movement to have women on the school board is rapidly gaining ground, and it is a matter that is almost entirely in the hands of the women in the districts. The trend of the work is thus indicated, the work of which over 3,000 earnest, thoughtful women are bending their energies, in addition to the enormous amount of patriotic work done through their organization.

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Additional List of Returning Men Who Reached Quebec on Monday.

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ond Street; Pte. W. H. Aldridge, 452 Moss Street; Lance-Corp. A. S. Blaney, 1016 McClure Street; Corp. H. V. Cleeton, 152 Menzies Street; Gnr. H. Cross, 1309 Pembroke Street; Pte. H. S. L. Fisher, Sooke; Corp. J. Graham, 1112 Cooke Street; Pte. T. A. Hollins, 3154 Dairn Street; Pte. J. Kearney, 263 Marion Street; Pte. C. C. Pemberton, Rocabella; Gnr. R. Smith, 713 Kings Road.

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## FAVORS CO-OPERATIVE PLAN OF ACTION

Hon. J. A. Calder Meets Provincial Executive on Subject

The general development of the non-producing lands of the Dominion and the placing of such areas at the disposal of the right kind of post-war settler, formed the subject of discussion at the informal conference last night between the Provincial Cabinet and the Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Colonization and Immigration.

Mr. Calder explained to the Executive that his visit was primarily concerned in gauging the feeling of the various Provincial Governments relative to the inauguration of a Canadian policy similar to that already instituted in this Province for the bringing of vacant lands under occupation and production.

Up-to-Date Here.

As already mentioned in these columns the plan is directed towards co-operative enterprise between the Federal and Provincial Governments with

the suggestion that the Dominion place its credit behind that of the Provinces to make possible the acquisition of the lands held out of production.

Must Be Good Settlers.

The question will be further discussed at Regina on Tuesday next when Mr. Calder will attend a conference in company with the Premiers of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

The Federal Minister was emphatic on the point of immigration. He pointed out to the Provincial Executive the absolute necessity for great care to be exercised in the selection of the post-war settler.

Although he declares that a vigorous publicity campaign will be carried on in Europe, Mr. Calder does not intend that the mistakes of the past shall be repeated and a virtual "hand-picking" of new citizens may be expected. The chief aim of his Department is to secure for Canada popula-

tion for her vacant spaces and a whole Canadian scheme is the means he intends to apply to secure his aims.

Agrees With Premier's Plan.

The question of providing land for returned soldiers was touched upon briefly, Mr. Calder concurring in Premier Oliver's plan for a Canadian Conference as suggested to Sir Robert Borden. And whatever kind of co-operative plans that may be arrived at Mr. Calder realizes the necessity of action in time for any proposal to be implemented by legislation at the forthcoming sessions of Provincial and Federal Parliaments.

Appeal to Nurses—Would all graduate nurses in Victoria who are not registered at the Graduate Nurses' Registry volunteer to help in case of emergency. Phone 2725 and leave name with the Registrar, Muriel Grimmer, President Graduate Nurses' Association.

All Over Town—Fred Mellor Signs. Phone 3565.

What It Costs—It is now known that the exact amount required to meet the payment of teachers' salaries in the Victoria schools will be \$20,721 per month, or \$267,210 for the year on the ten-month payment basis, the summer holiday months being excluded. The change which has just been inaugurated will not affect the financial arrangements for the balance of the year 1918, but it means that an additional \$20,000 will have to be added to the salary estimates for the year 1919.

## WILL COMMENCE TO LAY STEEL MONDAY

Hon. Dr. Reid and Mr. Hanna Met Provincial Cabinet To-day

The Hon. J. D. Reid, Federal Minister of Railways and Canals; D. B. Hanna, Chairman of the Executive of the Canadian Northern Railway Company; R. T. Riley, R. Hobson, and C. M. Hamilton, directors of the company, and M. H. MacLeod, General Manager of the Company, waited upon Premier Oliver and his colleagues of the Provincial Cabinet this morning.

The chief topic of discussion, which occupied but a very short time, centered round the construction of the Canadian Northern line from Victoria to the Nilinat. Dr. Reid assured the Premier that there would be no delay in pushing ahead with the work and that any uneasiness that might have been felt in the matter could be dismissed.

Mr. Hanna reiterated the assurance of the Minister and General Manager MacLeod stated that there were already fifteen carloads of steel at Esquimalt; providing that construction would commence on Monday or Tuesday of next week. All arrangements have now been completed for a continuous supply of steel from the

HON. J. D. REID

P. G. E. stocks at Squamish, while ten cars now clearing from Chicago at the Terminal City will also be diverted to this island for use on the extension.

Other questions outstanding between the railway company and the province were briefly dealt with, and the Premier has arranged to go into a greater length before the distinguished party leaves town to-morrow night.

The Hon. Dr. Reid is seized with the importance of the car ferry now on the way out and emphasizes the valuable part it should play in accommodating the Oriental passenger traffic by its connection with Victoria and the Mainland.

The party left for Patricia Bay this afternoon and will inspect the terminal lands of the Songhees Reserve to-morrow morning.

Engagements To-day. In connection with the visit of the Ministers to Victoria, it was found necessary for the hosts to divide up their forces somewhat. Senator Barnard, R. F. Green, M. P.; J. C. McIntosh, M. P.; R. P. Butchart, of the Imperial Munitions Board, and Mayor Todd assumed the responsibility of welcoming the Hon. Dr. Reid, President D. B. Hanna, of the Canadian Northern Railway; General Manager MacLeod, and the other officials of the company who are visiting the coast.

The party was taken to the Assembly Plant, where the wide scope of the facilities which form such a great asset to the Port of Victoria were pointed out to the visitors. From the ocean docks the party was escorted to the car ferry slip, whence, it was pointed out, rails could easily be connected with R. P. Ritchie's docks, where a big Japanese liner was moored.

The feasibility of connecting up these excellent port facilities with the Canadian transcontinental railway lines and thus serving to develop a tremendous trade with the Orient and other places was emphasized.

WON MILITARY MEDAL

Here on Tour of Inspection.—On a visit of inspection W. Marshall, Western Superintendent of the C.P.R. Telegraphs, and R. N. Young, Superintendent for British Columbia, are in the city to-day.

LOUIS GEORNER.—Wanted.—An inquiry comes from Dora Hall, 20 St. Helens Road, Hastings, England, for Louis Georner. An important letter awaits him which he can procure by calling at the office of City Clerk.

Handed to Military.—Charged with failing to register under the Military Service Act, J. R. C. Hraemson appeared in the Police Court this morning, and was handed over to the military authorities by Magistrate Day.

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Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Northern Railway, and for many years a vice-president of the railway. Mr. Hanna is the most popular official of that railway.

He was born at Thornhillbank, Scotland, December 20, 1858. He is a son of William Hanna and Janet Blair Hanna and was educated in the common schools of Scotland. In 1874 Mr. Hanna entered the railway service as a junior clerk and ticket agent for the Glasgow, Barrhead & Kilmarnock Railway of Scotland, since which time he has been consecutively 1878-1882 freight clerk for the Caledonia Railway of Scotland; 1882-1884, clerk in Auditor's office Grand Trunk Railway at Montreal, Que.; 1884-1886, clerk in Auditor's office of the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway at New York; 1886 to 1892, Chief Accountant Manitoba & Northwestern Railway; 1892-1896, Treasurer, and 1896-1898, also Land Commissioner same road; 1896 to October 27, 1902, General Superintendent Canadian Northern Railway; October 27, 1902, with headquarters in Winnipeg, Vice-President on transfer to Toronto, also Vice-President of Halifax & Southwestern Railway. Mr. Hanna is President of Canadian Lake and Ocean Navigation Co.; President Quebec & Lake St. John Railway; President of Canadian Northern Quebec Railway, a director of the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co.; The Rio de Janeiro Electric Light & Tramway Co.; Vice-President of Canadian Northern Prairie Lands Co.; Director of the Canadian Western Lumber Co.; London & Canadian Loan and Agency Company; President Canadian Mineral Rubber Company; Director British Empire Trust of London, England; Canadian North Pacific Fisheries Company and many others.

Mr. Hanna is also President of The Niagara, St. Catharines & Toronto Railway; President of Merchants' Mutual Lines; Vice-President Toronto Electric Light Company. He is also one of receivers of the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric Railway Company. He is a member of The York Club, Toronto Club, National Club, Albany Club, Royal Canadian Yacht Club, Hunt Club, all of Toronto; the Manitoba and St. Charles Country Clubs of Winnipeg. The Caledonian Mountain Trout Club and The Brandon Club. Mr. Hanna was married April 3, 1888 to Margaret Garland, of Portage La Prairie, and they have three children, namely, Mary Garland Hanna, William Blythe Hanna and Margaret Jean Hanna. Mr. Hanna is a resident of Toronto.

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## DYKING DELEGATION

Dewdney Landowners Ask the Government to Assume Part of Obligation, and Operate System.

A delegation representing the landowners and Commissioners of the Dewdney Dyking District waited upon the Provincial Cabinet this morning in support of a petition from the former requesting that the Government assume about forty to fifty per cent. of the obligation and operate the whole dyking system as a Government undertaking.

It was represented to the Cabinet by the counsel for the Commissioners that efforts had been made to induce the bondholders to agree to an extension of time, and to reduce the rate of interest. The extent of the bonds is \$150,000 with a liability to the Canadian Pacific Railway amounting to \$17,500.

The appearance of the railway party, headed by the Hon. J. D. Reid, whose time-table would not admit of delay, obliged the Dewdney delegation to adjourn until four o'clock this afternoon.

## THE RIVERS OF FRANCE.

The rivers of France are ten score and twain.

But five are the names we know. The Marne, the Veste, the Ourcq, and the Aisne. And the Somme of the swamy flow.

The rivers of France, from source to the sea,

Are nourished by many a rill. But these five, if ever a drought there be, The fountains of sorrow would fill.

The rivers of France shine silvery white, But the waters of five are red With the richest blood, in the fiercest fight.

For Freedom, that ever was shed.

The rivers of France sing soft as they run,

But five have a song of their own. That hymns the fall of the arrogant one And the proud cast down from his throne.

The rivers of France all quietly take To sleep in the house of their birth. But the carnal wave of five shall break On the uttermost strands of Earth.

Five rivers of France, see their names are writ

On a banner of crimson and gold, And the glory of those who fashioned it Shall nevermore cease to be told.

—H. J. M. in Westminster Gazette.

## SUSPENSE.

Frank—"When you proposed to her I suppose she said 'This is so sudden'?"  
 Ernest—"No, she was honest and said 'This suspense has been terrible.'"  
 —Medley.

## TELL-TALE NEWS FROM BERLIN.

In recent German newspapers there is a piece of news that tells a very significant story. The Hun military authorities have been compelled to rescind their decision, taken some time ago, to release from further military service the 1570 class—that is, men aged forty-eight years. The few that have already been discharged are to be forthwith called up again.

The laconic communique announcing these measures sheds light on the German man-power situation. It reveals that the human reserves at Ludendorff's disposal are not inexhaustible. They are not yet vanished far from that. But they are being used up. Events like these now taking place on the western front are accelerating the process to an extent which we must regard with satisfaction—London Daily Mail.



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Theirs has been the worry and anxiety. The watching and waiting in constant dread of what might happen.

Because mental suffering is far more distressing and debilitating than physical pain and discomforts women have had the greatest burden to bear.

The strain has been both severe and long, and the result is an alarming increase in diseases of the nerves. Nervous headaches, neuralgic pains, nervous prostration and exhaustion, restlessness, irritability and melancholy.

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# OF VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST AND THE WORLD

## TO PLAY HOCKEY FOR PATRIOTIC FUNDS

Old-Time Stars Will Figure in Games on Rinks in Vancouver This Winter

Vancouver, Oct. 10.—Patriotic hockey, with many of the old-time stars who thrilled enthusiasts during the past decade with their performances on the ice in the lineups, will be on tap this winter at the Vancouver Arena. Three teams are already in line for the series, and it is expected that a fourth club will be organized at an early date. The clubs which will compete include the Arena Vics, Coughlans and the Crows. If a fourth club is formed it is proposed to play double-headers once a week and the entire proceeds from the season's games will go into patriotic channels. It is planned to have one of the local organizations take charge of the games and handle all the money in connection with the series. Frank Patrick, managing director of the Vancouver Arena, will make no charge for the use of the big plant and besides will take a hand in the game himself. The players and officials hope to realize a substantial sum for patriotic causes during the season. The matches will probably be played on Friday evenings. Patriotic hockey made a big hit throughout the East last winter, particularly in Winnipeg and Regina, where leagues were conducted. All players, with the exception of the Coast Leaguers, are eligible to play. One of the stars of past seasons who retired in 1913, but who will come out this season to help along a good cause is Tom Phillips, in his day one of the greatest players who ever chased the elusive puck. Phillips, who some fans still claim to have been the greatest player in the days of the old Kenora club, is still able to travel fast, and fans are looking forward to some stirring matches when he gets into action again. Phillips played one season for Vancouver before retiring, but in latter years has been taking a hand at refereeing in the Coast League. Phillips will play with the Arena Vics and will have as teammates Frank Patrick, the peer of defence men in recent years, and Fred Whitehead, a former eastern star. Irvine will guard the nets for the Vics. Among the forwards will be Fred Orchard, a local amateur star, who returned from the front last year after going through a number of big engagements.

## MORE PAY FOR REFEREES ASKED IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Oct. 9.—The cost of refereeing in mainland football has advanced along with almost everything else. The constitution committee of the Vancouver and District Football League has recommended a return to the old scale for referees this season. In pre-war days the officials were paid at the rate of \$3 per game, but when the money market tightened up they consented to work for one dollar less per game. Now, however, with everything else soaring, the league officials deemed it advisable to return to the old scale, and it is altogether likely that their recommendation will be approved.

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## JOHREN, THE MIGHTY

Johren, the three-year-old, owned by Harry Payne Whitney, is the King in his class this year, a racer comparable with the mighty of the past. No wonder, for his is a winning combination. He was bred in France, sired by England's great horse, Spartan, and is owned by an American. Victory is written all over him, and he could not help being a wonder.

He is the essence of Allied endeavor. That is what every man in this war Great Britain, France and the United States are giving their best, and the combination is unbeatable.

Can you run an automobile? Get the Allies need more food.

## RED CROSS GOLF IS A GREAT SUCCESS

Tournament and Sports at Colwood Golf Links Net Over \$300

The Red Cross Golf Tournament and sports held yesterday at the Colwood Golf Links, proved a splendid success in point of numbers and results achieved. Following is a list of the events held, and the winners:

First event—Eighteen-hole medal play, open to gents, won by J. L. Noble; eighteen-hole medal play, open to ladies, won by Mrs. Capt. Tweedale.

Second event—Thirty-six-hole eclectic score, resulted in a tie between H. Schwengers and B. Wilson. To be played off at a second event.

Third event—Long-driving contest, open to gents only, won by B. Wilson. Fourth event—Putting match and ladder-putting. Both events won by J. Findlay.

Three Raffles. Three raffles were held, the winners being: First prize, Mrs. Darcy Martin; second prize, J. O. Cameron; third prize, F. G. Beecher. Prizes were donated by the following: Peden Bros., Victoria Sporting Goods Co., O'Connell's, Ltd.; Sam Scott; Cathcart Shoe Co., Canadian Fairbanks Co., Jeffrey's Jewellery store, T. C. Abel, A. McDermott, Angus Campbell & Co., Hon. J. Hart, Hon. T. D. Pattullo. The entire proceeds amounted to \$310.

## COMMITTED SUICIDE FOR LOVE OF HORSE

Luarel, Md., Oct. 9.—A touching story of the love of a jockey for his horse is that of the suicide of Willie Allen today, who killed himself here. Allen, who had been riding for Capt. Parr, of Baltimore, for many years, was not permitted to ride his favorite horse, Shannon River, in yesterday's race. Another jockey rode the mount, which, because of poor handling, fell and broke its neck. Allen killed himself after hearing of the death of the animal, and it is reported that he attempted to take the life of his wife.

## CLEVER HALF BACK FOR CLEAN SOCCER

Has Been Representing City Since He Came From Glasgow Five Years Ago

Among the cleanest players figuring in the soccer game to-day is Jimmy Allan, the speedy young Scotchman who came out to Victoria from the Old Country five years ago, an expert for his first year out, when he had not got the situation properly sized up, has been playing each season in the league games in the city. Jimmy fits in the half back line with a preference to the left place in the trio, and the first time he showed the local soccer men what he could do he was immediately secured to represent Victoria in the inter-city games with Vancouver. Allan has been one of the halves in the home and away games with the Mainland representatives from that time, and with a Scotchman's sporting enthusiasm and love of the soccer game he has shown all the football he knows in these games to bring back or keep the bacon in the capital city.



JIMMY ALLAN

Allan did a lot of footballing around Glasgow before he decided that Canada possessed attractions which the Scottish city does not, and has several honors won over the other side of the pond to add to those he has won this side. In Victoria he played with Sir John Jackson's eleven when they won the city championship in 1915, and also played for Victoria Wests. At present he is captaining the Foundation Company's team, Freddie Brown, who captained the All-Star basketball team of Victoria, Danny Munroe, an old Scottish League professional, and Ernie and Tommy Bridges, who were partners of Jimmy when the Sir John Jackson's team won the league, are among the men who will help him in his fight for league trophies.

Allan is a modest kind of Scotchman, and as far as you could tell from Jimmy, you wouldn't know that the Allan family know there is a war on. His relatives, both on this side and in the Old Country, have more than done their bit, and a brother of the soccer player has been "elevated" by a shell in such a manner as to put him out of the business for some time. Allan's father is an old soldier, who made the supreme sacrifice a long time ago, and the hardworking boy of the shipyards has some responsibilities which make him realize the increasing cost of living is something serious.

## NEW HOCKEY CIRCUIT PROPOSED IN EAST

Montreal, Oct. 8.—When asked regarding a despatch from Toronto that a new hockey league had been formed and that an offer of \$1,500 had been made to him by the promoters, "Newy" Lalonde, the star of the Canadiens during the last two seasons, stated that he had received the offer, and that the message requested him to secure the services of Poirer, Vezina and Corbeau of the Canadiens last season, and Sprague Cleghorn, who played with the Wanderers until he met with an accident.

Lalonde said he had taken no definite action regarding the offer, and would not do so until he heard from Toronto again. If the new league is formed a team will be placed in Ottawa, another in Montreal and probably two in Toronto. This will replace the National Hockey League, which was launched a year ago to replace the National Hockey Association when the latter suspended operations.

## 300 MEN WILL BOX AT ONE TIME IN OREGON

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 9.—Following out an order from the War Department, every member of the students' army training corps at the Oregon Agricultural College will be drilled in boxing. As many as 300 men will box at one time. Student instructors have been appointed as company leaders to give the men the rudiments of boxing. Wrestling will be done by those physically fitted for that type of athletics, twenty men working at one time.

H. W. Hargis, new football coach, has almost a limitless amount of material from which to choose a team. Practically all of the seventy-five men out for practice know the game. His great problem, he says, will be the picking of eleven men from so large a group of candidates.

A game is scheduled with the Multnomah Club at Portland for October 19.

## FOOTBALL HEAD RETIRES.

President Bob Samson, of the British Columbia Football Association, has announced his intention to retire from the office at the annual meeting on Saturday, and, acting upon his suggestion, a delegation of local football officials will wait on Dave Leith, former head of the Vancouver board, of the B. C. A. U., and ask him to fill the vacancy. Mr. Samson finds pressure of business too great to permit of him giving the necessary time to football affairs.

## IN MARATHON RACE



CLIFF CARROLL

who ran second in a big entry in the Dipsea seven-mile race over the hills of Marin County in California. Carroll, who carried off a five-mile championship here before the left for San Francisco, was running under the colors of the Olympia Club, San Francisco.

## QUINN WITH TORONTO IN FORMING LEAGUE

Pro Hockey Situation is Becoming More Complicated, Says Ottawa Report

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—As far as Ottawa fans could judge the pro hockey situation was more complicated Tuesday night than ever before. The announcement that E. P. Dey, owner of the Ottawa Arena, was in Toronto conferring with Percy Quinn and Eddie Livingston, caused a stir as it was reported that he was linking his forces with the Toronto men in the formation of a new league, independent of the National Hockey Association, the Ottawa Hockey League and the Ottawa Club, of which he is a third owner. However, the general opinion is that Mr. Dey has merely been manoeuvring around and that the Ottawa Club which has been sitting tight, may have a surprise to spring. "There will be only one team in Ottawa this winter, and it will be operated by the Ottawa Hockey Club," said Secretary Martin Rosenthal Tuesday night.

There is practically no chance, however, of a break between Mr. Dey and the Ottawa Club. Secretary Martin Rosenthal declared Tuesday night that the Ottawa Club would not be a party to any private arrangement with regard to the proposed readjustment of the National Hockey League. Clubs which desired franchises, he said, would have to apply in the usual way. This opportunity, he explained, was open to Eddie Livingston as well as to the Toronto Arena Company or any other syndicate.

## PEDEN HIGH IN FINAL SHOOT OF THE SEASON

The final shoot of the Victoria Gun Club was held yesterday afternoon, but the weather was against high scores, being very dark and smoky.

The fourth leg for the Dupont Cup was won by T. Peden, with twenty-two out of twenty-five, R. Peden following close behind with twenty.

The fifth leg for the same trophy was won by O. Weiler, with twenty-two, T. Peden following with twenty-one, and R. Peden with twenty.

The final winners in the five shoots were: Dupont Trophy by T. Peden, and the Thermos Bottle by R. Peden.

## BOYS IN FRANCE WILL SEE HUGHEY IN ACTION

New York, Oct. 8.—Hughy Jennings, manager of the Detroit team of the American League, has just been appointed field secretary for the Knights of Columbus. The popular manager of the Tigers has been ordered to perform overseas service and the boys in the trenches will soon have the pleasure of seeing Hughy in action.

## MID-WEEK FOOTBALL SHOWS MUCH PROMISE

The Retail United held their first practice at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon. There seems to be a number of younger players, and some of the men who have been out at the game show promising signs. The material in the team consists of some of the crack Victoria and Island Athletic Association Wednesday team of last year, including Newman, Hay, Skuce, Fea, Lomas, Stewart and Alcock, and with the help of the Peden Bros, Robinson and McKinnon, the mid-week soccer should be on a par with any of the Saturday games. Lomas, who arranged the game is anxious to hear from players interested in Wednesday football.

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## HOW SPORTSMAN GAVE LIFE FOR COMRADE

Returned 103rd Officer Tells of Heroism of Private Gus McKinnon

The many sportsmen in Victoria who came in contact with Pte. Gustave McKinnon, or to give him the name by which he is more familiarly known, "Gus," either on the football field or in the swimming tank will be interested to hear more particulars of how the well-known swimmer offered his life in saving his country in France. Gus, who was one of the football team, and also played soccer in Victoria before he enlisted, and was also a speed swimmer and clever water polo player, gave up his life in an effort to bring a wounded comrade safely back to billets. "We were just coming back to billets after a strenuous spell in the trenches," said the officer, "and I had the measure of the trenches through which we passed on our way home. One of our men got badly hit although he was able to walk, but could not keep up with the rest of the party. On account of the heavy shelling it was necessary to move quickly, but we were not able to put the wounded man on a stretcher and bring him along with the rest of the party. "Gus, who had proved himself a capable and courageous soldier, volunteered to stay with the wounded man and see him safely back to billets and cheerfully braved the heavy shell fire to help bring back a man whose name I believe he hardly knew. The two men never reached billets, and that was the last we heard of McKinnon until his death was reported. "It is believed that both were killed by the same shell, as McKinnon, already fatigued and weary by his duties, was helping the injured man home."

## WAR DISSOLVED HOCKEY CONTRACT, SAYS JUDGE

Toronto, Oct. 10.—The action of the National Hockey Association brought against the Ocean Accident & Guarantee Corporation, was dismissed by Chief Justice Falconbridge in the honor assize court yesterday with costs. The association endeavored to recover from the corporation \$2,000, the amount of a fine it had imposed on the 22nd Battalion team, bonded by the defendants, for default in playing a scheduled game at Quebec on February 19, 1917. Counsel for the defendants argued that the team could not be penalized for not doing something which it had become illegal for them to do. They had been ordered overseas, and the war dissolved their contract. In his judgment, the Chief Justice declared that the game had not been played.

## SPANISH "FLU" NOT TO STOP RUGBY GAME

As the Spanish influenza regulations have put a ban on the holding of indoor sports, rugby enthusiasts are looking forward to the practice game to be held at Royal Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon to keep up the interest in the handling game which had got so well started. W. H. Davies, secretary of the new-formed league, has extended an open invitation to rugby players to get together at the park and is not limiting the play to the members of the Victoria and Island Athletic Association in which he is mainly interested. It is hoped that at least thirty players will be on hand, so that two complete sides can be picked. A further meeting of the rugby league officials and delegates was planned for yesterday to talk over the prospects, but like many other sports meetings, has had to be called off.

## WORLD'S BILLIARD STARS.

New York, Oct. 10.—The first match of a long series of billiard contests to be held here this winter began yesterday, when the contestants were John Layton and Ralph Greenleaf. They will engage in a 1,000-point match, playing 200 points daily, in matinee and evening sessions. These two are rated among the foremost pocket billiard players in the world. Layton, two years ago, defeated Emmett Blankenship for the title in Detroit. Greenleaf is considered the most formidable of the young contenders for the title. He holds the world's record on a five by ten table. Late last year, in a match in Camden, N. J., he pocketed 497 balls, a total that has never been approached by another player.

## PITLAMPER SENTENCED.

Chief Game Inspector Gridley reports that pit-lamping has become very prevalent in the Duncan district, and a penalty of thirty days imprisonment was imposed by Magistrate J. Maitland-Douglass on Duncan on Louis Lapanesky, who was the first man to be charged with a charge since the operation of a fine was eliminated by the Government. Thirty days is the minimum punishment, but the magistrate stated that the next person caught at such an offence would receive the maximum sentence. Lapanesky was caught in the act by the Game Inspector and Provincial Constable Kier, of Duncan. The inspector stated that besides being a highly dangerous practice pit-lamping is also very destructive to game.

## LADNER FIELD TRIALS.

The Delta Kennels carried off first and third prizes in the Derby, the opening event on the B. C. Field Trials Club's programme at Ladner. Second prize went to a Portland entry. Tom Williams is officiating as judge, and a big crowd of enthusiastic sportsmen on the grounds. Conditions are favorable and the trials are exciting keen interest. For the all-age stake include British Columbia, Oregon, Washington and California dogs. The result of the Derby follows: First—Beau's Bella, W. B. & T. English setter, by Cherokee Mars Bet, owned by Delta Kennels; handled by Chas. Murray, agent. Second—Langley Z, W. B. & T. English setter, of bench breeding, owned and handled by Paul Whitesides, Portland, Ore. Third—Bright Eyes, W. B. & T. English setter, by Uncle Nat X, and Momo's Lady Sue, owned by Delta Kennels, handled by Charles Murray, agent.

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Black, knee length.....\$5.50	
Black, full length.....\$7.50	
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## GOLF TOURNAMENT TO AID RED CROSS

First Round in Ladies' Event Will Be Played Off To-morrow

It is the intention of the Victoria Golf Club to raise, if possible, at least \$2,500 for the Red Cross Society, and with this end in view tournaments have been arranged, including competitions between the ladies and gentlemen.

The following is the draw for the Ladies' Calculators: Handicap foursomes—First round to be played to-morrow, the 11th October. All entrance fees must be paid before leaving off players to arrange time with opponents for starting. Mrs. Baird and Miss Bruce vs. Miss Henry and Mrs. Rickaby; Miss B. Wilson and Miss I. Wilson vs. Mrs. D. Gillespie and Mrs. A. R. Green; Mrs. Gore and Mrs. Tweedale, play the winner of Mrs. Goward and Mrs. Thomas vs. Miss D. Wilson and Miss G. Pitts; Mrs. Rithet and Mrs. Lennox vs. Mrs. Sampson and Mrs. Gamble; Mrs. A. Harris and Miss M. Wilson vs. Mrs. Pierce and Miss Arrowsmith; Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Talbot vs. Miss Tuck and Miss McLeod; Mrs. H. Gillespie and Mrs. C. F. Todd vs. Mrs. A. W. Jones and Mrs. C. J. Prior; Mrs. J. E. Wilson and Miss D. Ker vs. Mrs. E. D. Todd and Mrs. Heisterman; Miss M. Pitts and Miss Neime vs. Miss B. Wilson and Miss B. Rodwell; Mrs. Gaillet and Miss Hayward vs. Mrs. Routledge and Miss Young; Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Kirk vs. Miss Marx and Mrs. Philbrick. The draw for the men's event will take place to-night and will be published to-morrow.

**The WEATHER**

Daily Bulletin, furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 10.—5 a. m.—An ocean storm area is causing southerly gales on the Coast and rain extending to the Lower Mainland. Fair, mild weather prevails eastward to Manitoba.

Temperature.	Max.	Min.
Tatoush.....	68	54
Portland, Ore.....	68	54
Seattle.....	66	52
San Francisco.....	62	54
Cranbrook.....	58	44
Pepticton.....	58	44
Grand Forks.....	60	46
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Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .31; weather, cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 49.

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**Saatchi Police Court.**—In the Saatchi Police Court to-day E. Moore was fined \$15 for speeding in an automobile on the East Saatchi Road on September 25, and the Empress Auto and Tax Stand a similar amount for speeding on Quadra Street on Sunday.

**"Prince" Awarded Medal.**—"Prince," the handsome Newfoundland dog who collected so much on behalf of the Blue Cross Society, has been awarded the Blue Cross Medal by "Our Dumb Friends League" in recognition of his services. Lady Smith-Dorrien, president of the league, has sent the medal to Lieutenant Guy, accompanied by a letter of grateful appreciation of Prince's efforts.

**Dance Postponed.**—The dance arranged to take place on Tuesday evening, October 15, under the auspices of Queen City Service Club, has been postponed. Tickets will be honored at a later date.

**Bank Clearings.**—The bank clearings for the week ending to-day total \$2,226,470, as compared with \$1,738,373 in the corresponding week of last year.

### COMPANIES REGISTERED

Victoria Dentistry School Among List of Incorporated Concerns This Week.

During the week ending at noon to-day certificates of incorporation have been issued by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in respect of the undenoted concerns, official notification of which will be made in this day's issue of The British Columbia Gazette: Clarke's Trade School of Mechanical Dentistry, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office of the company, Victoria.

Edgett & Gilland, Limited, private, authorized capital \$5,000; registered office of the company, Vancouver. George Craddock & Company (British Columbia), Limited, authorized capital \$50,000 sterling; registered office of the company, Vancouver. William Board & Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$24,000; registered office of the company, Vancouver.

Golden West Lumber Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office of the company, Vancouver.

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## TRUANT YOUNGSTERS WILL ATTEND SCHOOL

Trustees Will Appoint Officer to Take Care of Local Situation

The need of a Truant Officer in Victoria was pointed out at the meeting of the Board of School Trustees last night, when it was decided to advertise for someone suitable for the position. Former Truant Officer W. J. Edwards resigned the position at the end of March to take up a military position on the mainland, and since that time frequent cases have come to the knowledge of different members of the Board where youngsters have been kept away from school to go to work, or have remained away from their studies of their own accord.

A letter from Miss Grimmer, school nurse, was read at the meeting last night respecting the non-attendance of a certain boy, aged thirteen, and suggesting that a Truant Officer be appointed forthwith. Trustee Jay stated that every day cases of the nature referred to in the letter were brought to his attention.

"Could the city police do anything?" inquired Trustee Clark. Trustee Jay—"It would be of no use at all. If a Truant Officer were appointed he would find his time fully occupied." Trustee Deaville suggested that possibly Miss Grimmer might assist somewhat in the matter. Inspector Paul had a comprehensive and realistic idea of what the duties of a Truant Officer entail, and apparently had them fully in mind when he suggested that bicycles should be provided an officer assigned to the work of catching truants. It is generally conceded that many youngsters in Victoria who are unable to speak the King's English are roaming about without any proper direction in personal conduct or mental tuition, and who at the period when their impressionable minds should be moulded in such a way as to ensure future good citizens, are living in an environment that does not possess one single good point.

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## TAG DAY IN AID OF VETERANS SATURDAY

Headquarters for Collection at G. W. V. A. Rooms; Many Organizations Assisting

Plans are now complete for the holding of the tag day in aid of the Great War Veterans' Association on Saturday next, October 22, and those who have been working so hard in its preparation hope for a handsome collection from an ever-generous public as the consummation of their efforts. The various corners will be in charge of the following conveners: James Bay, Mrs. Wilkinson; Causeway, Empress Hotel and Post Office, Rev. A. D. E. Owen and Flower Guild; Fort and Government, Brown-Jug, Muggins; Montreal Bank, Union Bank, Mrs. MacIntyre; "J" Unit Chapter, four corners, Mrs. Beak, C. P. R. and Kirkham's, Beaumont Boggs Chapter, Miss Richardson; Merchants' Bank and View, Mrs. Duce's "Peter," Esquimalt, Miss Pooley; Victoria West and George, Mrs. Muirhead; Bank of Commerce, Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, Mrs. Hardie; Dominion Hotel, Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, Mrs. Hardie; Terry's, East Street, four corners, Navy League Chapter, Mrs. Appleby; City Hall and Interurban, Pandora Street, V. A. D. Miss Carson; Market, Mrs. Essler; Broughton and Government, Mrs. Hine; Johnson and Government, Miss Christenson; Fernwood, Mrs. Kennie; Oak Bay, Mrs. Butler; Cook and Fort, Mrs. Sayre; Cochrane's, Hall's and Dominion Bank, Mrs. Harris; Johnson and Douglas, Mrs. J. Adam; Government and Johnson, Mrs. Clarkson; Spencer's, Broad and View, Camosun Chapter, Times Building and Copas & Young's, Mrs. Lewis; Broad and Yates, Mrs. Ball; Oaklands, Mrs. Little; Bay Street, Mrs. Northam; shipyards and trains, Mrs. Richdale; Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Morry. Conveners may obtain boxes and tags by applying to the G. W. V. A. rooms on Fort Street below Government Street, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. to-morrow, Friday, to enable the early taggers to be out on Saturday morning at 7 o'clock. For the benefit of taggers, hot coffee and tea will be served during the day at the G. W. V. A. rooms, where workers may also rest. The committee in charge sincerely hope that all who have offered their services will come forward on Saturday.

Baby Buggy Repairs and Tires put on at Wilson's Repair Shop, 612 Cormorant.

## LAKE OF WOODS CO. INCREASED SURPLUS

Company Makes Provision for Re-Adjustment Period; Details of Business

The Lake of the Woods Milling Company's shareholders were well satisfied with the results of the year's business which has just closed. At the annual meeting held on the 2nd inst., the vice-president, W. W. Hutchison, stated that the company's position to-day was stronger than any time in its history. During the year just ended the net earnings amounted to \$57,914, a considerable increase over the figures for last year. The revenue was derived from milling profits, \$601,000; profits from the sale of commodities other than flour and feed \$169,000; profits from the Sunset Manufacturing Co. (a subsidiary corporation) \$57,000. As a result of the favorable year's business the directors increased the regular dividend from eight per cent. to ten per cent. per annum, and from the profits of the Sunset Manufacturing Co. declared a further dividend of two per cent. for the previous year and a like dividend for the year ending August 31, 1918, placing the common stock on a twelve per cent basis.

Dividend disbursements absorbed \$311,000, leaving a balance of \$346 to be carried forward to surplus account which now stands at \$978,737.90. Mr. Hutchison stated that the western farmers were now harvesting a fair average crop of good quality, and with mills all running full capacity the outlook for the company's business during the year was favorable. He paid a glowing tribute to the loyal cooperation and marked efficiency of the staff. Over two hundred and thirty members are now with the colors, and their absence places a very heavy burden on those left behind.

### A YOUNG FIGHTER



**PTE. A. MCCALLUM**  
the young son of Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, 2245 Pine Street, who died of wounds received in action before he had passed the Clearing Station in France.

### OBITUARY RECORD

The remains of Frances May Richards were laid to rest yesterday in Ross Bay Cemetery, the funeral taking place at 3.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The deceased was in attendance and the casket was covered with many beautiful flowers. The pall-bearers were H. E. Ashton, J. Young, W. E. Young and F. W. Steitz. Rev. M. T. Hahnersson conducted a very impressive service.

The funeral of Wong En Tai, whose death took place at the Royal Arms Hotel last Monday, was held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The deceased was fifty years of age and had lived in Victoria for the past twenty-five years. Interment took place in the Chinese Cemetery.

## NURSES REQUIRED TO DEAL WITH INFLUENZA CASES

Total Number of Patients in City Reach 105; Nineteen New Ones

### EVERY PRECAUTION IS BEING EXERCISED

One hundred and five cases of Spanish influenza have been reported to date in Victoria since the disease was first observed here last week. Nineteen of these cases were reported to Dr. A. G. Price, Medical Health Officer, this morning.

Emphasis is laid on the fact that there is a shortage of nurses in the city, and it is requested that all old graduate nurses and V. A. D. nurses register immediately at the Nurses' Registry, 1924 Main Street, between the hours of two and five o'clock daily. The heads of the V. A. D. have already been spoken to in the matter, and they have signified their intention of doing everything possible to render assistance.

Dr. Price states that the co-operation of the medical men of the city has proved a great relief, and of inestimable assistance in handling the situation. Much praise is due to them for the loyal manner in which they are exerting every effort to deal with the matter.

**Personal Infection.** Asked as to the general health of the city in other respects, Dr. Price announces that Victoria is very free from other diseases. A good many people are under the impression that Spanish influenza germs can be carried about, but Dr. Price explains that the germ is a very short-lived one, like that of measles, and the disease is almost solely taken from persons suffering from it.

A good many people have indulged in criticism of the precautionary steps taken by the authorities, and the publicity given the matter by the newspapers, but the facts now related show conclusively that the authorities had definite information before the prohibitory order was issued.

Dr. Price points out that the old saying, "An ounce of precaution is better than a pound of cure," is still the soul of wisdom, and applies under the present circumstances. When it is stated that from one place where twenty-five people used to congregate, eighteen patients have been reported, and that one doctor this morning intimated that seven cases developed yesterday and early to-day in his own practice, while another medical man has reported thirteen cases among his patients, it is claimed that the time was ripe for taking drastic measures to deal with the situation.

**Treatment of Patients.** While the Isolation Hospital is ready to receive patients, Dr. Price is averse to taking them to that institution unless it is a case of inability to treat the patient at home, or financial circumstances make home treatment an impossibility.

"A good many people are inquiring about the use of disinfectants," said Dr. Price this morning, "and I am afraid they are too prone to rely upon the means of combating the disease. The best disinfectant is plenty of fresh air, and all the sunshine obtainable. At night keep the windows open, and use solvent, including to keep warm. Eat good food, including a fair amount of meat, sugar and other force-producing matter. Wash the mouth and nostrils with salt water, as it is very necessary to keep the nostrils clear and the throat clean."

"There is no such thing as being frightened into having the disease," said Dr. Price. Many people have been heard to remark: "What is the use of talking so much about Spanish influenza. It only frightens people into getting it." In answer to this Dr. Price states, "You cannot frighten potatoes out of the ground without planting them, and it is the same with the disease—the germ must be there."

**Fumigation.** All places where germs are likely to be lurking are being given a strenuous treatment by fumigating with what is known as the Formaldehyde Lamp. These are sold by all chemists, and a fifty-cent ounce lamp will fumigate 500 cubic feet. It is no use fumigating unless a lamp of sufficient size to fill the entire space in a building is used. The process takes about six hours, and, of course, everybody must leave the premises while the work is being carried out. Unless there is good ground for supposing that the germs are about, there is not much gained by the fumigating process.

**St. John Ambulance.** In addition to meetings already announced as cancelled should be added the classes for women of the St. John Ambulance Association.

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## PRISONERS OF WAR FUND

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Camosun Chapter, I. O. O. F., \$25; Saanich Extension, B. C. E. Ry. Co., \$8.05; Engineering, Purchasing and Billing, B. C. E. Ry., \$3.15; Mrs. Lamport's Circle, \$5; entertainment given by Miss Gilmer, \$3.25; Miss Jamieson's Circle, \$5; Sister Agnes Keyser Chapter, I. O. O. F., \$12; Mrs. Sweeney, \$2.50; Miss Norma Hall's Circle, \$4; North Ward Sub-Committee, \$18.50; Miss Renouf, \$5; Centennial Ladies' Bible Class, \$5; Great War Next of Kin, \$10; Miss A. G. Scott, \$5; Mrs. Harmer, \$5; Sooke Red Cross, \$10; Miss Cronkite, \$5; Saturna Island Circle, \$5; Anonymous, \$10; Dr. W. E. Scott, \$5; Oak Bay Sub-Committee, \$15; Mrs. D. Campbell's Circle, \$3.50; Mackenzie Avenue School, \$4; Miss M. Sayward's Circle, \$4; Eric Allen, \$4; South Saanich Women's Institute, \$7.50; Mrs. I. Cummine, \$5; Mrs. Currie, \$1.25; Mrs. Tucker, \$5; Royal Oak Red Cross, \$1; Carberry Gardens, \$5.50; Miss Jones, \$5; Shawanigan & Cobble Hill Women's Institute, \$7.60; Ladies' Reformed Episcopal Church, \$5; Miss Ethel Himechew, \$5; Mrs. J. H. Walker's Circle, \$4; Batchelor Circle, \$4; Forest Branch, \$4; Miss V. Jagers's Circle, \$4; Mrs. Chapin's Circle, \$4; Mrs. A. M. Bannerman's Circle, \$5; Garden City Institute, \$9.50; Lady

Smith Red Cross Society, \$25. Total, \$321.80.  
The following prisoners have gratefully acknowledged parcels:  
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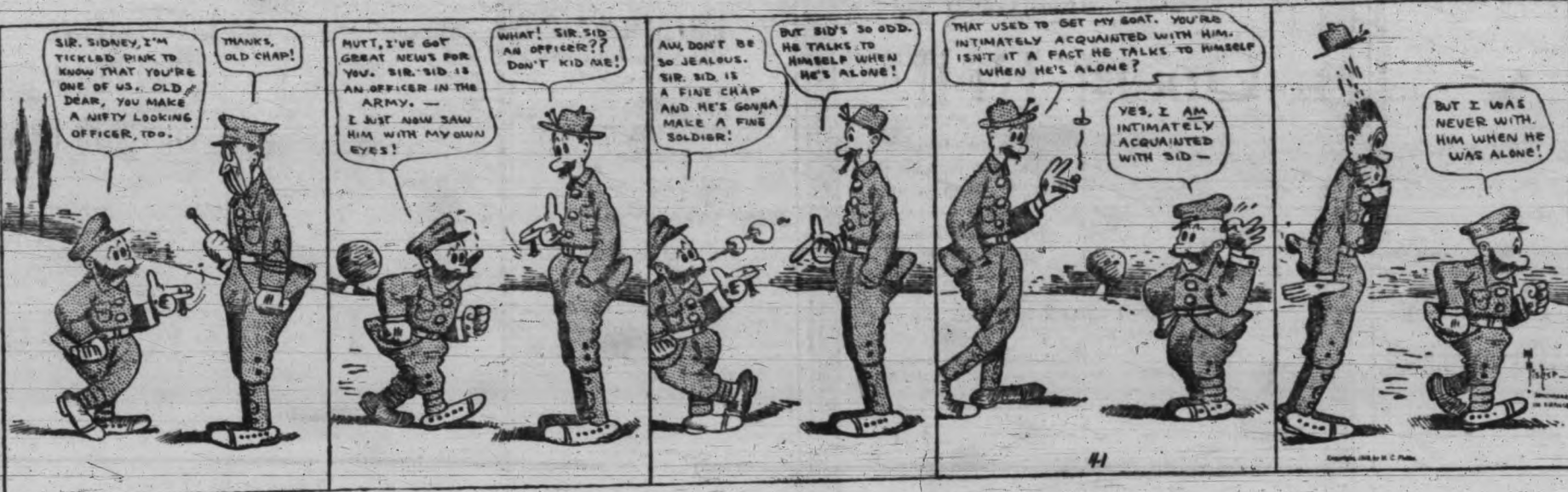
**High School Boys Overseas.**—The Patriotic Society of the Victoria High School is planning to ship a number of parcels of Christmas cheer to former High School students who are now in the trenches. It has been requested that friends or parents of former pupils now serving overseas kindly send their name and latest address to the President of the society at the school, so that they may be included in the list of those to whom Christmas parcels will be sent.  
Oak Bay Tax Sale To-day.—The Oak Bay tax sale is being held to-day at the hours of 2.30 and 3.30 p.m. The sale was adjourned on account of the epidemic but the premises have now been passed by the Provincial Board of Health.



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Pte. David Johnston, who left Victoria with the 143rd Battalion B. C. Bantams, has been admitted to hospital with wounds in his left arm and shoulder. He was fighting with the 47th Battalion at the time he received his injuries. Pte. Johnston came from Vancouver to join the Bantams when

they were in training at Beacon Hill Park, and his mother, Mrs. David Johnston, resides at 5577 Lanark St., Vancouver.

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# BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

**DIED.**  
SMALLWOOD.—On October 7, 1918, Sergeant Major Leonard James Smallwood, W. O., of 222 Joffre Street, aged 35 years, a resident of this city for the past four years. Born in England. The deceased is survived by a widow and two children.  
The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

**IN MEMORIAM.**  
HOLT.—In loving memory of Pte. James H. Holt, who died from wounds received in the Battle of Ypres.  
He did his duty bravely.  
He died for his country.  
We know that God in Heaven  
Gave him perfect rest.  
—By his father, mother, sisters and brother.

# Answers to Times Want Ads.

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# Satisfactory Annual Report LAKE OF THE WOODS MILLING COMPANY BUILDS UP SUBSTANTIAL SURPLUS

Montreal, Oct. 9th.—At the Annual Meeting of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company held here Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, the chair was taken by Mr. W. W. Hutchison, the Vice-President of the Company, owing to the absence overseas of President Frank Meighen.

A satisfactory report was presented to the shareholders, and reasonably optimistic view was taken of the coming year's operations. Mr. Hutchison stated that the West "was now harvesting a fair average crop of good quality," and that "all mills were now running at full capacity, and that we can look forward with confidence to a fair year's business."

For the year ended August 31, 1918, the Company's revenue totalled \$857,314, made as follows: Milling profits, \$601,000. Profits from the sale of commodities other than flour and feed, \$155,000. Dividend from Subsidiary Company (Sunset Mfg. Co.), \$87,000. This has been apportioned as follows:

Interest on the Company's bonds for the year	\$ 54,000
Dividend of 7 per cent. on \$1,500,000 preferred stock	105,000
Regular dividend of 8 per cent. on the \$2,100,000 Common stock	158,000
Additional dividend of 4 per cent. on the Common stock (from Sunset Mfg. Co., Limited)	64,000
Written off Property and Goodwill and Trade Marks Account	100,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$511,000</b>

This leaves a balance of \$246,314, which is carried to surplus account. The Directors also set aside a further sum of \$200,000 to be applied to the Bond Redemption Account and after making this provision and adding the surplus profit brought forward for the year the surplus account now stands at \$378,327.

The Directors have increased the regular dividend of 8 per cent. to 10 per cent. and in addition the satisfactory progress made by the Sunset Mfg. Company (a subsidiary corporation) enables them to add an additional 3 per cent. for the year ending August 31, 1918, from this source, thereby placing the common stock on a 12 per cent. basis.

# BOMBS DROPPED BY 350 AEROPLANES

Great American Aerial Operation North of Verdun Was Successful

With the American Forces North-west of Verdun, Oct. 9, 12.30 p.m.—An American bombing expedition consisting of more than 350 machines dropped thirty-two tons of explosives on German positions in the area between Warville and Danville, about twelve miles north of Verdun.

The American bombing exploit marks one of the high spots in the air fleet operations of the war. In the expedition were more than 200 bombing aeroplanes, 100 pursuit machines and fifty triplanes.

The bombing machines were given splendid protection during the aerial battle which took place during the operation. Twelve enemy machines were destroyed. Only one, Entente plane failed to return.

In addition, American aeroplanes yesterday destroyed or brought down five German machines and one balloon. They also took a great number of photographs and dropped newspapers to the German troops.

# CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The following casualties have been announced:

**Infantry.**  
Wounded.—Pte. R. Jack, New Westminster; Pte. S. D. Kirkpatrick, Ashcroft, B. C.; Pte. E. A. Jensen, New Westminster; Pte. S. Campbell, Merritt, B. C.; Pte. G. R. Goss, Grand Forks; Pte. A. A. Gibbard, Mission Junction, B. C.; Lieut. G. G. Trimble, Medicine Hat; Lieut. M. T. Wilson, Vancouver; Lieut. J. A. Anderson, Baddeck, N. S.; Lieut. G. A. Noland, England; Pte. H. Foulkes, Vancouver; Lieut. H. F. Barnes, Ottawa; Lieut. J. A. Irvine, Hamilton; Lieut. F. R. H. Thomas, England; Lieut. J. M. McCallum, Toronto; Lieut. R. C. Rowland, Walkerton, Ont.; Lieut. C. Craig, Scotland; Lieut. M. K. Rowland, England; Lieut. P. Chown, Montreal; Lieut. J. K. Findlayson, Harris, Sask.; Lieut. P. Beaumont, England; Capt. R. W. Hale, Edmonton.

**Artillery.**  
Killed in action.—Lieut. N. E. Denham, Winnipeg; Lieut. A. S. Macfarlane, Chatham, Ont.; Lieut. Col. M. C. A. Jones, Quebec.  
Wounded.—Gnr. H. E. Marks, Vancouver; Gnr. E. S. Howard, Vancouver; Gnr. T. G. Norris, Victoria; Lieut. Col. M. N. Ross, Regina; Lieut. J. U. Acton, Gananogue; Lieut. J. L. A. Madden, Kingston.

**Machine Guns.**  
Killed in action.—Lieut. C. J. Freche, Dumfries, Ont.; Lieut. J. A. Stoneman, Toronto.  
Missing.—Lieut. J. E. Knill, Paris, Ont.  
Wounded.—Lieut. J. R. Henry, Salisbury, N.B.; Lieut. F. W. Hooper, Winnipeg; Lieut. J. McCallum, Bell's Grove, Ont.; Lieut. T. Corbett, England; Lieut. J. R. Haggie, Montreal; Lieut. H. R. Simpson, Limerick, Sask.

**Mounted Rifles.**  
Killed in action.—Major S. B. Van-kleeck, Vancouver; Lieut. J. Cook, Regina.  
Wounded.—Major M. H. Bradbrook, Yorkton, Sask.; Lieut. G. Williams, Maple Creek, Sask.; Lieut. M. H. Robinson, England; Lieut. J. S. Hewitson, Calgary; Lieut. H. D. Langford, Whitevale, Ont.

**Medical Services.**  
Wounded.—Capt. G. F. Banting, Alliston, Ont.  
**Construction Corps.**  
Died of wounds.—Pte. C. R. Percy, Vancouver.

# AERIAL MAIL SERVICE.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Captain R. B. Lipner, in charge of aeroplane mail service here, to-day said that an aeroplane service between New York and San Francisco would be started soon.

# GIVES UP PRESIDENCY OF CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY



Baron Shaughnessy, who ceases to be President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, but will continue to act as Chairman of the Board of Directors

# BECOMES PRESIDENT OF C. P. RAILWAY



E. W. BEATTY, K. C., who succeeds Baron Shaughnessy as President of Canada's oldest Trans-continental.

# WILSON EXPRESSED ITALY'S ATTITUDE

Reply to Teutons Satisfied  
Italians; Viviani, of France, is Pleased

Rome, Oct. 10.—The answer of the American Government to the peace proposal of the Central Powers is what the whole Entente, in its soul, looked for, says the semi-official Stefani News Agency, adding:

"The terms used in answering the German note are a clear demonstration that President Wilson is aiming at just and lasting peace."

The Italian Government is alive to its duties and is proceeding in most complete agreement with its Allies. It is sure of interpreting the unanimous desire of the nation."

# Viviani's Opinion.

Paris, Oct. 10.—Rene Viviani, former Premier of France, writing in The Petit Journal on President Wilson's reply to the peace proposal of the German Chancellor, says:

"The note is firm without brutality; lofty, but devoid of that insolence with which Germany has so often accompanied her tramping of the vanquished. It is substantial, furnishing irrefutable arguments for the reason and conscience of everybody, even in Germany. Some might have preferred that it be more trenchant, but when blood is flowing from so many gaping wounds no man can lightly answer with a simple denial such a proposal."

# JUNKERS WILL MAKE PLAN OF OWN FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Paris, Oct. 10.—(Havas).—The German Minister of Foreign Affairs will shortly appoint a committee of officials, parliamentarians and jurists to frame a German plan for a League of Nations, the semi-official North German Gazette announces, according to a dispatch from Basel to-day.

# Securities Valued at 70,000,000 Marks, on Way to Kaiser, Stolen

Berlin, Oct. 10.—A postal sack containing 70,000,000 marks of securities and Treasury bonds, addressed by the post office to the Imperial Chateau, was stolen the day before yesterday.

# Berlin Is Expected to Make a Statement in Reply to Wilson

Basel, Oct. 10.—The authentic text of President Wilson's reply to Prince Maximilian's note has not yet been received by the German Government, according to a dispatch from Berlin. Proper examination of the reply can not be made until the official text is received, but in any case it is plain that a further declaration by the German Government will be necessary.

# Troops From India Occupied Beirut, Says British War Office

London, Oct. 10.—The French and British warships which entered the harbor of Beirut, the chief seaport of Syria, on Sunday, found that the town had been evacuated by the Turks, and a statement issued to-day by the War Office here.

Beirut was occupied by detachments of British Indian infantry on Tuesday.

The statement reads:

"French and British warships entered Beirut on Sunday and found the town evacuated by the enemy. On Monday British armored cruisers, preceding our cavalry and infantry columns, arrived and on Tuesday advanced detachments of British Indian infantry occupied the place. They were received enthusiastically by the inhabitants. Egyptian expeditionary force exclusive of those taken by the Arabs have reached more than 75,000. It is estimated that of the entire strength of the Turkish Fourth Seventh and Eighth Armies, not more than 17,000 have escaped. This figure includes 4,000 effective rifles."

"Many of the prisoners captured were in a lamentable condition of exhaustion. They are receiving medical treatment and attention as is possible."

# BROTHER-IN-LAW OF GERMAN KAISER KING OF FINLAND

Stockholm, Oct. 10.—Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse, a brother-in-law of the German Kaiser, was elected King of Finland on Wednesday night by the Finnish Landtag. The republican members of the Chamber did not vote.

# U. S. AIRMAN KILLED.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 10.—Cadet Perry Lyons, of Vicksburg, Miss., was killed in an aeroplane accident here to-day while being trained at formation flying drill. He is survived by his mother in Vicksburg and several brothers in France.

# INJURED BY LOG.

Vancouver, Oct. 10.—Severely injured through being crushed by a rolling log, Thomas Leggie, employed at the Third Division of the Pacific, reached Vetsweizinsk on September 29.

# DEMANDING TOWNS IN GERMANY SUFFER

Growing Section of British Populace Insisting on Reprisals for Vandalism

London, Oct. 10.—The demand for something more than unconditional surrender from Germany is becoming intensified in the newspapers here. Letters recalling the crimes of Germany and urging retribution include one from Professor Spencer Wilkinson, who declares that a condition precedent to the cessation of hostilities should be the occupation by the Allies of Metz, Strasbourg, Mainz, Trent, Trieste and Pola.

Viscount Middleton, former Secretary of State for India, asks that the Allies make a declaration that peace shall not be made until retribution is exacted from German towns for German vandalism in France.

The Times describes the enemy policy of burning and destroying towns as a cruel and mean blackmail, and says that German towns like Hamburg and Frankfurt must be marked down for reprisals in return for French and Belgian towns wantonly destroyed.

# Cambon Speaks.

Paris, Oct. 10.—Julius Cambon, formerly French Ambassador to the United States and one of the foremost figures in French affairs, said to the Associated Press to-day:

"At the moment the Central Powers address themselves to President Wilson to obtain an armistice and begin negotiations for peace, the German armies renew the horrors they have been committing in all the occupied territories."

St. Quentin, Lens, Cambrai and Douai are burning, mined and ruined. Having formerly been Prefect of the Department of the North, I know what this new terror means to the regions devastated by the German armies. These represent the richest territory of France, where the largest French industrial establishments are located. All these centres have a glorious past. They are filled with splendid monuments and museums and libraries of priceless treasure. In Cambrai stands the tomb of the illustrious Fenelon.

# Trail of Ruin.

"One cannot view without profound sadness all the ruins the German invaders are leaving behind them, but that represent not only material losses, but also moral losses. The conduct of the German armies is an outrage against civilization and humanity."

"The destruction that has been going on in the south is equalled on other sections of the front. Reports received from the North show a great sweep of wreck and ruin spreading over the cities, villages and country-side of both Belgium and France from which the Germans are being slowly forced. The extent of this devastation is reaching the dimensions of a calamity as the enemy is slowly retreating."

"Lens is now reported to be burning following the same fate as Douai and Cambrai. St. Quentin is a mass of ruins and the great mining centre of Lens is in desert, with its buildings levelled; its population gone and its rich mines flooded."

# St. Quentin.

The tragic situation at St. Quentin has been graphically described by M. Dupin, Sub-Prefect of that city. The suburbs of L'Esplanade, Roupy and Roucourt have been turned into a vast cemetery. The campanile of the Gothic City Hall has disappeared. The Academy Theater is in ruins and St. Martin's Church has lost its steeple. The principal street centre resembles an abandoned battlefield. The houses are shattered and their walls, seamed with huge shell holes, are toppling into the streets. Strict supervision of all entrances to the city has been ordered to avoid the danger of mines, which still are exploding.

# German Falsehoods.

London, Oct. 10.—An indication that the Germans are becoming anxious in consequence of the threats of reprisals for the destruction of towns in France is afforded by a telegram from the semi-official Wolf Bureau received in Stockholm, saying that Douai was burning as the result of the continuous British bombardment.

The reports that the Germans had set fire to a town they still were occupying was characterized by the agency as ridiculous.

The Germans, according to a Reuters dispatch from Stockholm, also deny having fired Roulers, Thourout and Lichtervelde.

# THIRTY-THREE CASES OF SPANISH GRIPPE IN VANCOUVER CITY

Vancouver, Oct. 10.—A total of thirty-three cases of Spanish influenza were reported in Vancouver up to noon to-day, an increase of fourteen during the last twenty-four hours. The cases are distributed among twenty homes.

# FRENCH SOCIALISTS UPHOLD MR. WILSON'S REPLY TO TEUTONS

Paris, Oct. 10.—Pierre Renaudel, leader of the majority Socialists in the Chamber of Deputies, proposed the following resolution yesterday to the Socialist Congress:

"The French Socialist Party, confirming its address to President Wilson, gives its approbation to the answer just made in the name of the President by Secretary of State Lansing to the German Chancellor's note."

"The French Socialist Party views with satisfaction this first serious application of positive public diplomacy. It observes that the door is thus opened to the belligerents for a just peace. It approves the diplomatic and military guarantees required by President Wilson for an armistice."

# JAPANESE REPORT PROGRESS IN SIBERIA

Tokio, Oct. 10.—Reporting military operations in Siberia, an official statement issued here to-day says:

"Cavalry and infantry pursuing the enemy from Zeya in the direction of Banskui, captured Iorikai and Joldain on September 29. A detachment of the Third Division from Tkhia reached Wefezinsk on September 29. The Zeya River has been cleared by mine-sweepers."

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# FINANCIAL NEWS

# NO SUPPORT FOR GRAINS AT CHICAGO

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)  
Chicago, Oct. 10.—There was a wild opening in the grain market this morning, corn showing a loss of three cents from closing figures. While there were several rallies during the day the market closed on a real strength and support at the end. Grain market seems a harder proposition to break than corn, but holders are showing signs of weakening.

NEW YORK CURE MARKET.  
(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Canada Copper	11 1/2	12
Am. Copper	11 1/2	12
Chevrolet Motors	127	130
Curtis Aeroplane	31	34
Subway Boat	11	12 1/2
United Motors	3 1/2	4
U. S. Steamships	5 1/2	6
Wright-Martin Aero.	6 1/2	7
Corden Oil	20 1/2	21
Big Lodge Mining	11 1/2	12
Do. Reining	11 1/2	12
Northwest Oil	48	50
Sappula Refining	6 1/2	7
Calcedonia	44	45
Cons. Copper	5 1/2	6
Davis Daily	5 1/2	6
Hecla Mining	5 1/2	6
Howe Sound Mining	3 1/2	4
Kerr Lake	5 1/2	6
Magma Copper	32	34
Nipissing	8 1/2	9
Success Mining	10	12
Hay Hercules	4 1/2	5

# NEW YORK STOCKS TURN STRONG

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)  
New York, Oct. 10.—So-called peace stocks were in much demand to-day. Oil stocks led the way in a general recovery of the market. Mexican Petroleum and Texas Company both made decided gains. The stocks which have been heavily sold on account of their connection with war business made good recoveries; a considerable short interest has been built up while the liquidation was on. Offering in Canadian Pacific had a retarding influence on the rails. Good buying was reported in the coppers.

Oil Stocks Featured the Session; Mexican Petroleum Up Nine Points

	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Am. Can. Co., com.	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Am. Can. Pdy.	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	41	41	41
Am. Locomotive	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. T. & Tel.	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am. Wool com.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Am. Steel Pdy.	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Anacostia Mining	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Chemical	37	37	37
Atchafalpa	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Atlantic Gulf	195 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Butte Sup. Mining	24	24	24
Brooklyn Transit	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Canadian Pacific	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Central Leather	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Crescent Steel	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Chic. R. & Pac.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	42	42	42
Cons. Gas	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Cons. Copper	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Chino Petroleum	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Chile Copper	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Corn Products	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Distilled Sec.	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Distilled Sec.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Do. 1st pref.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Gen. Electric	153	153	153
Goodrich (R. F.)	51	51	51
Gr. Northern	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Gr. Northern pref.	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Hide & Leather	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Inspiration Cop.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Int'l. Harb.	294 1/2	294 1/2	294 1/2
Do. pref.	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Illinois Central	96	96	96
Kennecott Copper	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Kan. City Southern	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Lehigh Valley	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Lack Steel	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Louisville & N.	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Maxwell Motors	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Midvale Steel	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Mex. Petroleum	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
Miami Copper	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Missouri Pacific	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2



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## INCREASE IN MARKETED VALUE OF FISHERIES

Is Declared to Be \$13,143,666 in 1917 as Compared With Previous Year

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—An increase of \$13,143,666 in the marketed value of Canadian fisheries during the year 1917, as compared with 1916, is shown by a statement issued through the Department of Naval Service. The statement shows that the total marketed value of Canadian fisheries for 1917 was \$52,352,944, of which total the sea fisheries contributed \$47,052,605 and the inland fisheries \$5,299,439. The two provinces which were chiefly responsible for the increase were British Columbia and Nova Scotia. The fisheries of the former reached a total value of \$21,558,595, which was \$6,921,249 greater than the total of 1916.

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## HOUSING OF WORKERS IS PRESSING PROBLEM

Robert H. Laverie Suggests That Steps Be Taken to Form Building Loan Assn.

That the housing of the influx of workers with the opening up of the new period of shipbuilding activity here will have to be tackled sooner or later is the contention of Robert H. Laverie, chief surveyor for the Bureau Veritas and representative of the French merchant marine programme in the United States and Canada, who has been in the city during the past day or two organizing his staff at the Foundation yards.

In the opinion of Mr. Laverie this is one of the most important problems that will have to be faced and he urges that steps be taken to solve the problem before the situation becomes acute.

In order to make it possible for the ship workers to acquire their own homes, Mr. Laverie throws out the suggestion that measures should be taken leading to the organization of a building loan association along similar lines to the building loan organizations which have proved most successful in the larger centres of the United States. These loan associations have been very instrumental in solving the housing problem across the border where new industrial districts have faced an influx of labor. These loan associations, which in the United States are state controlled, have proved a great boon to the working man desirous of building his own home.

By joining these associations the workers are enabled to secure financial assistance at reasonable interest while the principal is paid back into the fund by easy instalments. Mr. Laverie has taken a great deal of interest in a scheme of this kind at Staten Island, where he has been, and he says it is the cleanest-cut proposition ever inaugurated with the object of solving the housing problem. Mr. Laverie says, is bound to expand with the development of shipbuilding here and he emphasizes the necessity of something being done without delay to take care of the new industrial population.

## FRAMES NOW GOING UP IN GOOD SHAPE AT FOUNDATION YARDS

Marked activity is now apparent at both shipyards of the Foundation Company where square frames are now going up rapidly. The lumber is now coming along from the mills in good shape and the staff of shipwrights has been augmented to facilitate construction work on the initial hulls.

Other keels are being laid down as fast as the huge keel timbers can be got ready. The mills at both the Point Hope and Point Ellice plants are driving ahead at high pressure in an effort to keep the men employed on the frame assembling platforms.

Now that the Foundation yards have got away to a good start it is not anticipated that any further delays will occur in lumber deliveries to hinder progress.

## WAR SUMAS SHORTLY READY FOR COMMISSION

The fitting out of the War Sumas at Yarrow is proceeding satisfactorily and it is predicted at the yard that she will be ready for commission by the end of the month.

The War Sumas is the product of the Pacific Construction Company and was the second of the two vessels built for the Imperial Munitions Board at Coquitlam.

The War Tyee is now hauled out on the slip at Yarrow, where she is being cleared and painted preparatory to undergoing her steam trials.

## DUTCH SEAMEN ARRIVED FROM JAPAN ON ATSUTA

Eleven Dutch seamen from the Holland-America Line steamship Schiedyk, reached Victoria on board the liner Atsuta Maru from Japan.

They are en route to Seattle, where they expect to be able to ship on board one of the offshore vessels plying out of that port.

The Schiedyk is operated between New York and Java via the Panama Canal. She got away from the Hudson just prior to the wholesale commandeering of Dutch shipping by the Allies.

## WOUNDED IN LEG

Son of Pilot Charles Harris Admitted to Hospital at Etaples.

Pilot Charles Harris, of this city, has been advised that his son, Pte. Charles Graham Harris, was admitted to the 26th General Hospital at Etaples on September 30, with a gunshot wound in the left leg.

## BROMELA IS AWAY

Put in Here Twice for Repairs Before Finally Clearing for Honolulu.

The wooden steamship Bromela, which put back here on Monday, for the second time since leaving Comox, to effect repairs in her engine-room, is now away to sea. She is laden with a cargo of coal for Honolulu and is operating in the service of the United States Shipping Board.

## BIG TYPHOON DELAYED ATSU TA AT YOKOHAMA

Monteagle and Katori Also Inconvenienced by Hurricane on Japan Coast

Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Atsuta Maru, Capt. K. Inada, which made port yesterday afternoon with 148 passengers and a full Oriental cargo, was delayed in getting away from Yokohama by a typhoon which swept the Japanese coast. The Atsuta Maru was leaving Kobe when the storm broke, and the passengers had an unpleasant time before Yokohama was reached. For several days the wind raged at a frightful velocity and shipping schedules were completely disrupted. The Atsuta, together with a number of other large vessels, rode at anchor in Yokohama harbor, pitching and tossing in the gale.

The seas were so heavy that it was impossible for launches to put out to the anchored vessels, the consequence being that the passengers were confined to the ship. Most of them were forced to put into Yokohama owing to the typhoon. The C. P. O. S. liner Monteagle, which was held up in clearing for Hongkong. She made two attempts to put to sea but was forced to postpone her departure because of the terrific seas outside.

**Sailors Overboard.**  
The Japanese steamship Kaisho Maru, 6,070 tons, of the Shoda Kisen Kaisha, of Kobe, bound for the North Pacific coast with a full cargo, was forced to put into Yokohama owing to the typhoon. The vessel lost two sailors overboard while fighting with the gale in Suruga Bay. The Kaisho Maru also sustained some damage and had to effect repairs at Yokohama. The third mate of the Washin Maru was drowned while visiting a friend on a liner lying at anchor in the harbor. The N. Y. K. liner Katori Maru also met with delay at Yokohama en route from Victoria to Hongkong.

## ARCTIC SHIP TO BE SOLD AT VICTORIA

Stefansson's Vessel Polar Bear Will Help to Swell Red Cross Funds

With no word concerning the movements of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Arabia Maru the local agents of the Japanese company are inclined to believe that the steamship suffered delay in getting away from the Orient.

According to her schedule the Arabia Maru is due to arrive at Victoria tomorrow, but as she has not yet been reported it is highly probable that she has been set back.

The Arabia Maru is one of the two boats operated by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha between British Columbia and the Straits Settlements via Japan and China. The other vessel plying in this service is the Mexico Maru.

In future the ships of the O. S. K. line plying as far as Singapore will make Victoria the first port of call on the Pacific coast.

The Arabia is coming on with a full cargo. From here she will go to Seattle, Tacoma and Vancouver. She is now posted to sail outwards from this port on October 25, but this date may be altered. The liner Africa Maru, which is now en route to Seattle, is due to sail outwards on October 19.

## WORK ON ATSU TA HELD UP BY RAIN

Owing to the heavy fall of rain last night the working of cargo on the N. Y. K. liner Atsuta Maru was temporarily suspended. The inclement weather conditions interfered with progress upon the resumption of work this morning. It is expected, however, that the liner will be able to get away late to-day for Seattle.

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

Month of October, 1918:				
	Sunrise		Sunset	
	Hour	Min.	Hour	Min.
Oct. 1	6	12	5	54
Oct. 2	6	13	5	53
Oct. 3	6	14	5	52
Oct. 4	6	15	5	51
Oct. 5	6	16	5	50
Oct. 6	6	19	5	48
Oct. 7	6	21	5	41
Oct. 8	6	22	5	39
Oct. 9	6	24	5	37
Oct. 10	6	25	5	35
Oct. 11	6	27	5	33
Oct. 12	6	28	5	31
Oct. 13	6	30	5	29
Oct. 14	6	31	5	27
Oct. 15	6	32	5	25
Oct. 16	6	34	5	23
Oct. 17	6	36	5	21
Oct. 18	6	37	5	19
Oct. 19	6	39	5	17
Oct. 20	6	40	5	15
Oct. 21	6	42	5	13
Oct. 22	6	44	5	11
Oct. 23	6	45	5	9
Oct. 24	6	47	5	07
Oct. 25	6	49	5	05
Oct. 26	6	50	5	03
Oct. 27	6	51	5	01
Oct. 28	6	53	5	00
Oct. 29	6	54	5	00
Oct. 30	6	56	4	58
Oct. 31	6	57	4	57

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## ARABIA MARU IS NEXT O. S. K. LINER

But No Definite Advice Has Been Received Regarding Singapore Boat

Seattle, Oct. 10.—Stefansson's famous Arctic Polar Bear, which reached Nome from the Far North recently, will be sold in Victoria, B. C., and the proceeds donated to the Red Cross, according to Capt. Harry Ravens and Sabine Craft, local U. S. Steamboat Inspectors in St. Michael, who have arrived in Seattle to spend the winter. They inspected the Polar Bear while she lay in the roadstead off Nome, in accordance with a request from her master, and advised him to proceed to St. Michael's and make repairs to the vessel's keel before undertaking the voyage to Victoria. The Polar Bear was frozen in last winter in the Arctic near Herschel Island, and when the summer thaw came and she was ready to proceed for Nome her rudder and part of her keel were carried away. Members of the crew said that the vessel was leaking, and her master, commander of a Canadian vessel, requested the American steamboat inspector to make a survey.

## INFLUENCE OF JAPAN IS STRONG IN CHINA

Territory Formerly Under Control of Germany Now Being Extensively Developed

Since the Japanese kicked the Germans out of Tsing-Tao the control of the Province of Shan-Tung has almost completely passed into the hands of Japan, according to Ernest Whitty, a missionary from Tsing-Tao, who reached here yesterday on board the Japanese liner Atsuta Maru.

He says the Japanese have assumed control of all the railways and have been busy for some time in the more important points within the former sphere of German influence. The coal mines of the province are being developed by the Japanese on a large scale.

The harbor of Tsing-Tao has been entirely cleared of the gunboats and other vessels sunk by the Germans prior to the capitulation of the German forces to the Japanese forces during the early stages of the war.

Mr. Whitty, who has been engaged in missionary work in China for many years, says all European are experiencing great difficulty in getting out of the Chinese interior, as armed bands of robbers are consistently holding up people for ransom.

Mr. Whitty disembarked here. He is accompanied by his wife and two daughters.

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## TIDE TABLE.

	Time	Height	Time	Height
	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
1	6:03	1.40	7:40	15.5
2	6:06	1.45	7:43	16.0
3	6:09	1.50	7:46	16.5
4	6:12	1.55	7:49	17.0
5	6:15	1.60	7:52	17.5
6	6:18	1.65	7:55	18.0
7	6:21	1.70	7:58	18.5
8	6:24	1.75	8:01	19.0
9	6:27	1.80	8:04	19.5
10	6:30	1.85	8:07	20.0
11	6:33	1.90	8:10	20.5
12	6:36	1.95	8:13	21.0
13	6:39	2.00	8:16	21.5
14	6:42	2.05	8:19	22.0
15	6:45	2.10	8:22	22.5
16	6:48	2.15	8:25	23.0
17	6:51	2.20	8:28	23.5
18	6:54	2.25	8:31	24.0
19	6:57	2.30	8:34	24.5
20	7:00	2.35	8:37	25.0
21	7:03	2.40	8:40	25.5
22	7:06	2.45	8:43	26.0
23	7:09	2.50	8:46	26.5
24	7:12	2.55	8:49	27.0
25	7:15	2.60	8:52	27.5
26	7:18	2.65	8:55	28.0
27	7:21	2.70	8:58	28.5
28	7:24	2.75	9:01	29.0
29	7:27	2.80	9:04	29.5
30	7:30	2.85	9:07	30.0
31	7:33	2.90	9:10	30.5

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## CHINESE AGUE IS BANNED BY NEW PROCLAMATION

Social Democratic and Many Other Parties Must Dissolve

The ban of the Government is placed on a number of foreign societies and organizations in an extra edition of The Canada Gazette of October 1, which has just arrived here. Of particular local interest, in view of the recent assassination in Chinatown, is the official notice of the suppression of the Chinese Nationalist League, the political tendencies which are well-known on this continent. The Gazette also declares to be an unlawful organization any other association or group, the object of which is to bring about a change in the Government of the Dominion by the use of physical force or the dissemination of propaganda, and the recent strict orders against all Bible student societies are made to apply to such organizations.

## SEVERE PENALTIES FOR NON-COMPLIANCE

The following well-known organizations are, by The Gazette, suppressed, and members who persist in their activities along these lines are liable to heavy penalties, both in fine or imprisonment: The Industrial Workers of the World. The Russian Social Democratic Party. The Russian Revolutionary Group. The Russian Social Revolutionists. The Ukrainian Workers Union. The Ukrainian Revolutionary Group. The Ukrainian Social Democratic Party. The Social Democratic Party. The Social Labor Party. Group of Social Democrats of Bolsheviks. The Workers International Industrial Union. Chinese Nationalist League. Chinese Labor Association. In addition any association, organization, society or corporation is banned, "one of whose purposes or professed purposes is to bring about any governmental, political, social, industrial or economic change within Canada by the use of force, violence, or physical injury to person or property, or by threats of such injury, or which teaches, advocates, advises or defends the use of force, violence, or physical injury to person or property, or which shall by any means persecute or pursue such purpose or professed purpose for ransom, or which shall, by force or by threats, advise or defend while Canada is engaged in war."

Besides any organization comes under the ban which the Minister may deem to be unlawful, or to come within the above description. The Nationalist League.

The Chinese Nationalist League, which is thus suppressed, and the members of which are thus forbidden to continue their meetings or to carry on any of their former activities, is an organization of widespread influence on this continent. With a large membership, and backed with a huge amount of capital, the League strongly supported the 1911 revolution in China, and exerted much influence in political affairs.

It is in southern China that the League has reached the zenith of its power, and it exerts power from Canton. Locally, the Nationalists take the name of the New Republic Society, which possesses a large membership here and has, it is understood at different times forwarded large sums of money to support the southern party.

After the assassination in this city of Ex-Minister Tung Hwa Lung on September 1, the New Republic and Nationalist League published a declaration in the press deploring the murder, and disclaiming any association with it. Part of the declaration read as follows:

"This society is founded upon modern Occidental culture, and its membership is comprised of young men trained in American and Canadian schools and colleges. Its mission is as beneficent, and its methods as peaceful, as any similar societies of Canadians. The Chinese Nationalist League aims to establish and maintain in China a democratic government."

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## RETURNS TO SEATTLE.

Bayly Hopkins, Northwest manager of the Foundation Company's interests, left to-day for Seattle after one of his periodical visits of inspection.

## A BURNING QUESTION.

Signor Galli, chief of the Italian Coal Mission in London, has issued an official statement which explains the coal situation in Italy in a way that every one can understand. In Italy, where the winter in the northern plains behind the fighting line is so common, severe than in England, the public have practically no coal at all. Last winter hospitals went without. All imported coal goes to the railways and munition works, and then they are short. It is, he tells us, so uncommon for a train to stop between two stations for lack of fuel. Coal is supplied only in eight of the largest towns and only for two or three hours. Other

## WHAT TO EAT.

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach," exceeding dangerous and sufferers should do either one of two things.

Either they can go on a limited and often disagreeable diet, avoiding foods that disagree with them, that irritate the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effects of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismarck Magnesia at the meals.

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Get a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate, and in the Bismarck form is not a laxative. Try this plan and eat what you want at your next meal and see if this isn't the best advice you ever had on "what to eat."

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It is stated there are about 300 members of the local society.

Exhaustive regulations are explained in The Gazette as to the members of all banned organizations, and the strictest orders are published to designate the exact meaning of membership. "Any person," says The Gazette, "who while Canada is engaged in war, shall act, or profess to act as an officer of any such unlawful association, or who shall sell, speak, write or publish anything, as the representative or professed representative of any such unlawful association or become or continue to be a member thereof, or wear, carry or cause to be displayed upon or about his person or elsewhere, any badge, insignia, emblem, banner, motto, pennant, card, or other device whatsoever, indicating or intended to show or suggest that he is a member of or in anywise associated with any such unlawful association, shall be liable to imprisonment for not less than one year and not more than five years."

Propaganda. Besides if any person has been a member of such an organization since the beginning of the war, he shall, in absence of proof to the contrary, be presumed to be still a member. Agitation, any person who prints, distributes, or sells any pamphlet, or publication advocating the use of violence, or physical force to attain a change of the Government of the country, is also liable to the penalty.

Russian Language Under Ban. The language of Russia also comes under the ban. Seditious utterances are strictly prohibited by the Order also.

## HON. DR. REID HERE IN WESTERN TOUR

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## PATENT MEDICINE ACT RECEIVES ATTENTION

More Harmony With Provincial  
Prohibition Acts as  
a Result

As a result of the conference between representatives of the Attorneys-General for the Provinces of British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec and Prince Edward Island, held in Ottawa last month a number of recommendations were submitted to the Dominion Government relative to a considerable change in the Patent and Proprietary Medicines Act.

The British Columbia delegate was Prohibition Commissioner W. C. Findlay, through whose instrumentality the conference was called, and on his return to the city he states that at the next session of the Dominion House there is every likelihood of effect being given to the various suggestions submitted to Sir George Foster as the Minister in charge of that particular Department.

When the Patent Medicine Act was placed on the statute books of the country the suggestion of an almost bone-dry Dominion was naturally not taken into consideration and in consequence there was little danger of a medicated wine becoming a very serious rival to the genuine product of John Barleycorn.

Since the advent of Prohibition, however, the demand for a reasonable substitute for the banned liquid has been growing in evidence and as a consequence prohibitory law itself seeks assistance and the purveyors—who are just as anxious to live within the spirit and intent of the various

Prohibition Acts—likewise desire proper protection in that branch of their business which at present provides a loophole.

While the Federal regulations prescribe that no patent medicine "shall be manufactured, imported or sold if it contains alcohol in excess of the amount required as a solvent or preservative, or does not contain sufficient medication to prevent its use as a beverage," and provides for the granting of certificates for its manufacture and sale, it was admitted by the Assistant Deputy Minister of the Department of Inland Revenue that any supervision over the granting of certificates had become a dead letter.

Sir George Foster agreed with the suggestion from the conference that in the matter of enforcing the Patent Medicine Act the final authority should be vested in the Provincial officials.

## CUT THIS OUT

OLD ENGLISH RECIPE FOR CATARRH, CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrhal Deafness, head noises or ordinary catarrh cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. In England scientific for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment. Sprays, inhalants and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear which frequently means total deafness or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs which is equally as dangerous. The following formula which is used extensively in the damp English climate is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climate conditions.

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parment (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the eustachian tubes is reduced. Parment used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system and has a tonic action that helps to obtain the desired result. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh or head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.

## TEACHERS' SALARIES FINALLY ADJUSTED

Cost to City Will Hereafter Be  
About \$2,000 Additional  
Monthly

Roughly two thousand dollars per month has been added to the City's expenditure on account of education, by the action of the Board of School Trustees last night in dealing with the schedule of salaries for teachers.

The meeting was a lengthy one, and extremely quiet and uninteresting, despite the fact that a somewhat heated session was expected, and possibly an ultimatum presented by the teachers. After adopting the amended schedule, the Board proceeded to check each individual teacher's salary. There was a strong inclination on the part of some of the Trustees at times to depart from the schedule in view of the particularly deserving or undeserving circumstances in the case of some of the teachers. However, there was always some trustee to remind the Board that it must be guided by the schedule, and the cost from rule created thereby was adhered to, despite all temptations.

In one case where a young lady had taught for three years, Mrs. Andrews and Trustee Riddell considered she should get \$78 per month. The Board passed the resolution before realizing that it had thus affected a number of similar cases which, of course, would also require similar treatment. This difficulty, however, was soon remedied by a vote to reconsider the matter. Thus the young lady and her friends in a like position lost the advantage of the small raise, withdrawn almost as soon as it had been given.

The Board was almost convinced at times that it would be impossible to keep strictly to the schedule in certain cases. Trustee R. W. Perry challenged the Board to state whether or not a teacher of the first rank with the experience of say twenty years at his back, and coming here from the prairies to teach should begin again on the salary basis laid down in the Victoria schedule.

Cost of Increase.  
On the ten monthly payment basis, the total amount paid out monthly in teachers' salaries will be approximately \$24,000, the exact figures not having been made up, and the office staff will cost the city \$1,925 monthly. There is no retroactive pay in connection with the settlement with the teachers, but their salaries will now be based on the figures the salary would have attained had the teachers received the annual increment during their term of service. Therefore, for graded teachers, the increase to be allowed will be \$60 per annum, and some are entitled to four years' increment, or, in other words, they will now have \$240 added to their annual salary. In the case of Principals of course the increase will be correspondingly greater.

The Board was in receipt of a letter suggesting that recent positions of janitorships should be kept open for returned soldiers. Several members of the Board reminded the meeting that this policy was already carefully followed in all cases.

## Educating the Blind.

A letter was read from Inspector Gordon, Vancouver, respecting the cost of maintaining the pupils attending the Blind School on the Mainland, suggesting an increase of \$10 per month to meet the high cost of living. Victoria has three pupils attending the Vancouver Institution, and the cost to this city \$120 for ten months. On the motion of Mrs. Jenkins it was decided that whatever the additional cost amounted to, it should be paid.

McCrosan & Harper, a Vancouver firm of lawyers, representing the Board, estimated the cost of the proposed salary increase of \$125, one month's salary claimed by a teacher, W. E. Grant. Trustee Perry stated that the correspondence on file clearly defined the arrangement made with Mr. Grant before he began teaching in the Victoria schools, and moved that the solicitors should be notified that there was nothing due their client. The motion was carried.

The janitor at Quadra School wrote the Board stating that owing to the high cost of living he would like an increase in pay. He was employed a year ago and is now getting \$75 per month, and he says he works from 7 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. Trustee Deaville reminded the Board that a schedule for janitors had been made up, and suggested that the applicant be advised that no change could be made in his cheque. The motion carried.

Miss Mabel Wright telegraphed and wrote that she would take the night cooking class at \$100 per month. This class has recruited only six prospective cooks, however, and the Board was informed that it would be necessary to inform Miss Wright of the regret at not being able to engage her. Inspector Paul suggested an amalgamation of this class, to provide also for Oak Bay pupils.

Miss Grace B. Darling and Miss Oakes offered their resignations, which were accepted. The former is compelled to leave on account of illness, and the latter to attend the University. New teachers appointed were Miss Eleanor Nicholson and Miss F. L. The appointment of Mr. Williamson as janitor at the George Jay School was made permanent at the scale salary.

A quantity of Ross rifles have been received for some of the city schools, and it therefore becomes necessary to erect racks for them at Burnside, Victoria West and Margaret Jenkins schools at a cost of \$15, and at the High School at a cost of \$20.

Miss Cockburn accepted the position of needlework teacher, but so far she has failed to make an appearance. It was decided to give her another week to which to report for duty, and failing that another teacher will be immediately appointed.

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## SHAMROCK FUND WAR EXHIBITION

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The Irish War Exhibit which the Countess of Kingston has recently brought to the United States and will be on view here to-morrow, comprises a number of wonderful war relics and trophies, and includes a collection of official photographs taken on all battle fronts, at sea and in the air.

There are many articles of interest captured from the Germans by various Irish regiments, including a genuine Iron Cross captured by Private Healy, of the Connaught Rangers and loaned by Brig.-Gen. Sir William Hickie, K. C. B., commanding Irish division.

The exhibit includes the Union Jack carried by Viscount French, of Ypres, as Commander-in-Chief of the British army during the first two years of the war; German time and percussion fuses, an aerial torpedo, a German officer's dagger, a Bulgarian war knife, and the certified copy of a telegram sent by the discharged Irish soldiers in Dublin to Sir Douglas Haig, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces during the heavy fighting in March of this year, together with the original telegram bearing his reply.

There is a fine collection of Irish and other British regimental badges; a rare and valuable set of genuine old Irish volunteer medals; together with a collection of medals presented to Irish and other British soldiers during the various campaigns of the past century, including the peninsular campaign, the Battle of Waterloo, the Indian Mutiny and the Crimean War, as well as the campaigns in Egypt and South Africa. This collection also includes exact replicas of medals and other decorations now being awarded to American and Allied soldiers by Great Britain and the Allies.

Perhaps the most wonderful of all the trophies is a portion of the bridge, and switch for fighting lights from the British ship *Vindictive*, whose story will go down into history among the most glorious traditions of the British navy. The *Vindictive* landed the marines on the mole at Zebruggue the night the harbor there was bottled up and rendered useless as a base for German submarines. She returned to England—she was shot down—her funnels shot away—indeed it was a miracle that she returned at all—but her work was not yet finished. Filled with concrete she was taken to Ostend and sank, her guns still firing, her waves, permanently closing up the entrance to the harbor and effectively blocking the channel.

One of the best pictures in the collection is that of Albert Church, showing the Statue of the Blessed Virgin knocked over by a shell; but still suspended over the town. Tradition has it that when the statue falls the war will end. In one of the show cases are beautiful fragments of marble and colored glass from the church picked up and loaned by Brigadier-General Sir William Hickie.

Of special interest are exact replicas of the medal struck in Germany to commemorate the sinking of the *Lusitania*. The sinking of the vessel, the reverse side Death sailing tickets to would-be passengers. This medal is dated two days previous to the actual date of sinking. A limited number of these medals are on sale at \$5 and should be procured by those in quest of interesting trophies. Portions of zeppelin wreckage brought down near London also form an interesting part of the exhibit.

Admission to the exhibit is free, but voluntary contributions to the Shamrock Fund are gratefully received. The Countess of Kingston, Vice-President of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society of Dublin, is raising this fund for the purpose of enabling every disabled Irish soldier to learn a useful trade. There are already 3,500 of these men registered with the Bureau in Dublin, which in co-operation with the British Ministry of Pensions, sees to their welfare. The trades are taught in Villages erected in the grounds of Leopoldstown Park Co. Dublin, a beautiful home recently donated to the British Ministry of Pensions for this purpose. The old house will be permanently used as a Soldiers' Home, and on the grounds of 100 acres, space will be found a market-garden, worked by the soldiers themselves. Here also the men will receive instruction in basket-making, carpentry, book-binding, and many other occupations according to their tastes and qualifications. Many of the discharged soldiers are too badly wounded ever to return to their former occupations; while others had no former occupation, and for these, the opportunity to learn a trade is an incalculable blessing. At the exhibit may be seen many pictures of homeless men engaged in useful occupations in which they have received instruction through Shamrock Fund, and it is hoped that all visitors will show their sympathy with this great work by securing one of the little Shamrock

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